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RHINE FORCES ARE MOBILIZED

Rich Teuton Coal Lands to be Seized as Result of Reparations Conference Collapse—Paris Backed by Belgium—Britain Splits With Allies on Question

(BY WEBB MILLER)

PARIS.—(United Press)—France mobilized her Rhine forces today, recalling all troops on leave from Mayence barracks.

General DeGoutte ordered this action immediately when word of the breakdown of the reparations conference reached the Rhineland. No military action against Germany will be taken, however, until orders are received from Paris.

France today planned conferences with Belgium and Italy, looking to a possible joint move to collect reparations from Germany.

Great Britain will not be invited to this conference if one is arranged.

The crisis probably will come January 15, when the next reparations payments by Germany fall due. The Cuno government is expected to ask a moratorium and Italy and Belgium, as well as France, are opposed to this.

Belgium already has agreed to action by the three countries on the basis of Poincaré's plan rejected by the British, and Italy, leaning more towards France than towards England, is expected to agree.

BRITAIN QUITS BOARD

Premier Poincaré instructed Louis Barthou to call an immediate meeting of the reparations commission for notification of Germany's alleged default in coal payments.

John Bradbury, British member of the reparations commission, resigned. Two sessions, therefore, must be held under the Versailles treaty, to allow sufficient time for all to have a voice in the arrangements.

Then, well informed observers believe, the march on the Ruhr will begin.

French troops along the Rhine will be reinforced. It is believed and an advance guard will push into Westphalia and occupy the richest German coal country.

HOPE CENTERED IN WASHINGTON

(BY A. L. BRADFORD)

WASHINGTON.—(By United Press)—Hope of settling the reparations question without resort to war is now centered in Washington.

The United States will use its influence to the fullest extent possible to bring about a peaceful settlement of the European crisis developed by the failure of the Paris conference, it was learned today.

Because of the grave situation facing Europe, definite action by the United States toward the submission of the reparations problems to a commission of experts as recently proposed by Secretary Hughes, may be taken in a few days. The international situation was the foremost topic of discussion at the cabinet meeting today.

Meanwhile, Germany, said to have been driven to a state of despair, may soon make some important move to inform the world that she will never submit to the proposed French program of economic and military coercion.

George Harvey, American ambassador to the Court of St. James, is here in almost constant conference with President Harding and Secretary of State Hughes; foreign ambassadors are consulting Hughes on the situation and the British debt mission headed by Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer, is taking the first steps to obtain more leniency in a funding arrangement for payment of England's war debt to this country. The most important moves in development of American foreign policy are being discussed and formulated.

AMERICAN PROGRAM

The following will be the program of the American government in the present. The United Press is in a position to state:

Secretary Hughes will revive the informal negotiations that he carried on for some time before the Paris conference, to see if the European powers are now willing to agree to this government's plan for an international commission or conference of economic and financial experts, in which the United States would participate to recommend a just and practicable reparations figure for Germany to pay.

If the various countries interested are found to be agreeable to this plan, an invitation will be issued by Washington or some other government for the assembling of the conference or commission, men high in finance and economics will be named to serve as representatives of the different nations, and arrangements will be made to postpone the political discussions on the reparations question, until these experts can submit their recommendations.

It, however, some country continues to block the American plan for a settlement of the reparations crisis, this government, thru Secretary Hughes, will make plain to the world the attitude of the United States on the whole question, not attempting to hide where the responsibility for the present situation lies.

France is known to have held out so far against the plan of the United States and if she continues to do so, there is no doubt here that Hughes will reveal this situation.

Withdrawal of the American army of occupation might be one form of protest against an advance by France into the Rhineland and Ruhr valley of Germany.

HARPER NAMED AS WELFARE CHIEF

Former Budget Commissioner Chosen by Donahay.

OTHER APPOINTMENTS MADE

Wilbur Baker is Selected as Director of Finance.

Members of Probe Committee Reluctant to Serve.

COMMISSIONS NOT ACCEPTED

Chairman George Quail Expected to Assemble Body.

A stumbling block in the pressing of charges brought against R. R. Trubey, assistant prosecuting attorney, by B. F. Welty, former congressman, may be created by hostility of one or more members of the court committee to serve, it is asserted.

So far as could be learned Friday, none of the committee appointed by Judge Fred C. Becker to press the charges have actually accepted the commission.

No meeting of the committee has been held up to date and so far as could be learned none has been called.

Ira R. Longsworth, one of the trio appointed by the court, indicated reluctance to serve, when questioned.

HAS NOT DECIDED

"It will depend on what other members want to do," he said. "I have not made up my mind to serve or not to serve."

Longsworth received notification from the court of his appointment Friday morning, he said.

James R. Wendock, a second member declared, "I haven't given the matter any consideration at all."

"It is possible then that you might not serve," he was asked. "I positively have nothing more to say," Wendock answered.

George H. Quail, who is to act as chairman of the prosecuting committee, will probably accept, it was learned Friday.

As chairman it will be his function to assemble the initial meeting of the committee.

HARPER'S RECORD

Mr. Harper, the governor-elect's statement asserts, "is a successful business man." He was an examiner in the state bureau of accounting and gained much information and experience in connection with management of state institutions by making formal examinations of their financial conditions. He also made inspections of all institutional buildings, with a view to ascertaining conditions and needed improvements. Later as budget commissioner he again inquired into the needs of the institutions.

Mr. Harper formerly lived in Coalton, Jackson-co, where he owns several farms. He is married and lives in Columbus.

Mr. Baker was born in Findlay, educated there and engaged in business there for a number of years.

He entered the bureau of accounting in 1902 as an examiner, serving in that capacity ten years. Later he was made deputy auditor by Mr. Donahay, then auditor. He is married, has a son and lives in Columbus.

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CITY LAYS LINES TO GET HEAT

Free Heat to Be Furnished
Safety Building.

Steam lines to furnish heat for the safety building on E. High-st. are being laid by city workers under the direction of the water main extension department.

These lines will be 200 feet long and will extend from the intersection of High and Union-sts. to the police and fire department buildings. A four inch pipe is being laid and the cost will be approximately \$1,000. D. B. Faust, construction foreman, believes.

After the trench is dug a layer of concrete is poured and the asbestos covered pipe is laid upon it. Then the whole is covered with cement. This will eliminate repairs and as it is being laid under the supervision of the Ohio Power company, heat waste will be minimized.

Fourteen men are working on the job and from the progress being made it is believed the work will be completed sometime next week. Drip lines and a manhole are yet to be installed, Faust says.

Under the terms of the steam heating franchise granted the Ohio Power company, the city buildings will be heated free of cost. Construction of the line will mean a considerable saving every year as it will not be necessary to operate the heating plant in the building.

This plant is practically worn out and would have to be replaced in a few years, city officials state, while with the utilization of free steam this cost will be eliminated. The saving will be several hundred dollars a year, it is believed.

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ST. MARY'S AUTO WRECKS ROWLANDS STORE WINDOWS

Two mammoth plate glass windows in the Rowlands company store were broken Friday at 8:30 a. m. when an automobile belonging to the St. Mary's Wheel company, and driven by one of the officials of the concern became unmanageable on the slippery pavement at the intersection of Market and Elizabeth sts.

Damage is estimated by the Rowlands company at \$250.



CHILD DIES AT DELPHOS

Lena Junita, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knapp, Seventh and Washington-sts., Delphos died Thursday at 1:15 p. m., after a short illness from pneumonia. Funeral services Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Presbyterian church in charge of Rev. G. H. Gibson. Interment in Walnut Grove cemetery, east of Delphos.

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35c Gets It for Corns.....	29c	100 Hinkle Tablets.....	25c
40c Fletcher's Castoria.....	25c	50c Pebeo Tooth Paste.....	39c
\$1.50 Allen Rhin.....	1.39	50c Milk of Magnesia.....	39c
50c Milk of Magnesia.....	39c	25c Laxa Pivit.....	19c
25c Mavis Talc.....	19c	Turpo.....	25c and 50c
70c Sloan's Liniment.....	63c	Listerine.....	45c and 89c
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The Best in High Grade Coffee, lb. 39c

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38 OF 100 BECOME DEPENDENTS

What Is Accomplished In Average Life Summed Up

ONE OUT OF 100 GETS RICH

Only 16 Of Widows Able To Live On Income

(BY. B. C. FORBES)
NEW YORK.—(Special)—Are you heading for comfort, financially, in your old age?

The beginning of a new year is an ideal time to take this question up for very serious consideration.

Suppose we see just what happens to other people.

Let us start with 100 average men starting out in life at the age of twenty-five.

Ten years later seven of them are well to do, 62 are doing moderately well, 25 haven't saved anything, seven are dependent.

At forty-five, of the 86 still living, one is rich, ten are well to do, while 53 have moderate means, 22 are worth nothing, of whom nine are dependent upon others.

At fifty-five, 23 are dead, one is rich, 13 are well to do, 40 are moderately comfortable, 23 are penniless and 18 of them are dependents.

At sixty-five, 42 have passed on and of those surviving only one is rich and seven are well to do, while no fewer than 60 have not enough income from property or investments to support them without working or receiving assistance from others. Of the 50, 22 are worth nothing. And never than 38 are dependent upon others or upon charity of one kind or another.

At seventy-five, of the 33 still living only three are well off, 20 haven't enough income to support them without working or receiving assistance. Of the 30, 16 are worth nothing, and 50 per cent have become dependents.

What is the showing made by our hundred men when the final account is made after death?

Nine leave estates producing \$50 a month or more, based on an income rate of 6 per cent. Twenty-seven leave enough to yield an average of \$20 a month. But 61 leave little or nothing, most of them nothing at all.

What happens to widows? Of 100 widows, only 16 are able to live on the income left them. Forty-two have to eke out their incomes by doing some kind of work.

And no fewer than 42 become dependents.

These figures are taken from an extremely interesting folder just compiled by Joseph J. Deveyne as the result of the co-operation of a thousand bankers and life insurance men in all parts of the United States.

How can poverty in old age be guarded against?

Holsey, Stuart and Company, the investment bankers of New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, Detroit, St. Louis, Milwaukee and Minneapolis, deal very helpfully with this subject in a new booklet, "safe bonds for investment." They present figures and diagrams which show very clearly the amounts required to be invested monthly to accumulate \$25,000, \$50,000, \$100,000 and \$200,000 during any period ranging from 15 to 40 years.

How little do you think it is nec-

essary to save—and invest systematically at 6 per cent—to have \$25,000 in 40 years? Only \$12.74 a month.

There are not many young men or women who couldn't scrape together that modest amount were they to apply themselves to the task with the earnestness that its importance warrants.

To have \$25,000 in thirty years calls for saving \$25.11 a month. To do the trick in twenty years requires that \$54.31 be saved every month.

Just think of it: In accumulating half of it comes from interest. During the forty years a rod of saving \$18,000 is added in interest while during the forty year period—when you have to be at the rate of \$12.74 a month—no less than \$19,-

000 of the \$25,000 comes from the interest.

To figure out how much it is necessary to save a month to have \$50,000 instead of \$25,000, just multiply the monthly saving by two. If you aspire to saving \$100,000, then multiply by four instead of two.

I certainly never want to be dependent on the charity of others when I grow old. Do you?

Wishing, however, won't help. Systematic saving will.

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HAVE YOU SEEN ZETLITZ WINDOW TODAY?

VALIDITY OF DOW-AIKEN TAX LAW MAY BE ATTACKED IN \$1,000 COLLECTIONS

Validity of the Dow-Aiken tax law may be tested in court litigation, if an attempt is made by the county to collect a \$1,000 penalty, provided by the law, from owners of property where liquor law violations have occurred.

Announcement that the tax will be levied against seven taxpayers in the county was made Friday by Harry E. Botkin, county treasurer. Names of the seven have been certified to Botkin by State Auditor Tracy. The tax will be assessed against the

property owners and if not paid, Delphos, leased to Mary Vanscher, Belgian.

Taxpayers subject to the tax are: The Lima Brewing company; A. T. Fritz, an unidentified owner of premises at 338 N. Central-av.; L. E. Carter, owner of 417 N. Central-av.; Imber's cafe, Delphos, owned by the Imber estate; Charles J. Bush, Delphos; Mary McMahon, farmer near

EVERY MARRIED MAN

Almost every day asks himself this question—

"WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE WOMEN?"

And always there comes the mocking echo, "Who Knows?"

SOLUTION AT HAND

Thousands of Lima folk are soon to have a startling answer. Watch this paper.

SHOP AND COMPARE!
Get your pencil! Put down "Little Heroes of the Street," then add "The Kentucky Derby." Now sharpen your pencil and set down "What's Wrong With the Women" and to this array of cinema gems tally "The Man From Hell's River" and you have a gorgeous procession of truly wonderful photodramas productions featured at the Lyric theater for four consecutive Sundays. You'll see "What's Wrong With the Women" starting Sunday. On the following Sunday James Oliver Curwood's great story, "The Man From Hell's River." Stack these up with what you see elsewhere and then ask yourself this question, "What's the best picture house in Lima?"

EPSOM SALTS LIKE LEMONADE

Has All the Splendid Bowel Action without the Awful Taste



When constipated, blithes or sick, enjoy all the splendid physi-action on the bowels of a dose of epsom salts without the awful taste and nausea. A few cents buys a package of "Lemonade Salts," the wonderful discovery of the American Epsom Association. Even children gladly take it. Drug stores—Adv.

RUGS, \$17.50
Fiber Rugs, 9x12 ft.

Chiffonier, \$19.75
Solid oak plank top. 5 roomy drawers.

\$2.00 CASH DELIVERS IT
BALANCE \$1 WEEK

Dressing Table
\$24.75
Solid fumed oak, heavy plate mirror.

\$2.00 CASH DELIVERS IT
BALANCE \$1 WEEK

Cook Stoves \$42.50
For coal or wood.
\$4.00 CASH DELIVERS IT
BALANCE \$1 WEEK

MATTRESS
Felt Mattress, \$9.95
45 pounds

The Lisk-Grady Company
300 SOUTH MAIN ST.
Corner Main and Elm
EASY CREDIT TERMS

Ray's End of Season Sale

SATURDAY ONLY
Your Choice of
An Silk or Wool Fall or Winter DRESS
IN OUR STOCK
That Formerly Sold to \$35
\$15

This includes Duvetyn, Lace, Canton Crepe, Satin Crepe, Poiret Twill and Tricotine. Models that sold from \$23.00 to \$35.00.

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Overcoats of such splendid quality are seldom offered at a lowered price, but we mean, by these garments, to prove that there are no Clothes, today that equal P&Q Clothes in every essential, at anywhere near their low prices.

Don't miss this opportunity to see the handsome Ulsters, Great Coats, Town Ulsters, Raglans, Kimonas, and staple Chesterfields, made by our most expert craftsmen, and finished in a most artistic manner.

All the new colors—all the beautiful plaid backs—all the new belted models, at a price that is most surprising for its lowness!

A Round-Up of Special OVERCOATS at \$27.50
Various high quality Coats in all the new colors and styles, where quantities were not large enough to advertise specifically, are now concentrated into one lot at \$22.50. Values as high as \$30.

Our reputation for integrity and reliable advertising is back of every garment in these special offerings.

COME EARLY!

St. Iles at
Proprietary
Low Prices

34 PUBLIC SQUARE

We Give The Values
And Get The Business

The P&Q Shop
CLOTHES FOR MEN

W. H. Hartzler, Mgr.

Trousers at
Attractive
Prices

WORKERS PUT IN DIDN'T EXPECT TO PLANT'S CHARGE EVER BE WELL

\$1,000,000 Business Is Turned Over To Employees

SON PASSES UP BIRTHRIGHT

Owner Cuts Own Salary From \$45,000 To 50 Cents

(BY BOB DORMAN)
NEW YORK.—(Special)—
Henry A. Dix, 73-year-old unenlightened employer who cut his own salary from \$45,000 to 50 cents and turned over his \$1,000,000-a-year-business to his employees, hopes that other employers will follow his lead.

His sacrifice entailed the passing up of his son's birthright to the prospering dress manufacturer. But Mark Dix, 42, was willing.

"Happiness," he says, "is not what you have, but what you do."

So father and son worked out all the details of the transfer of the business which was 30 years in developing. Now it is in the hands of their several hundred employees, who will pay for their stock out of the profits of the company.

CO-WORKERS, NOT EMPLOYEES

"The things that we have done for our workers," explains the younger Dix, "the five-day week, the bonuses, sick benefits, steady work, vacations with pay, no overtime, recreation centers—all have been steps to ease our own consciences."

"We felt that they did not approach justice to our co-workers. There is no success of any business is not only due to the acumen shown by its heads, but to the loyalty and devotion of its employees."

"Real justice demands that they be regarded as co-workers, not as claimants in the proprietary sense."

"As for myself, I am ready to take a job with the new concern. My dad will act in an advisory capacity."

"But first we hope to preach the gospel of fairness to all employers."

"They will find that it pays to be just."

"At the end of the year, it is the usual thing for the business man to fill out a two-page sheet—one side assets, on the other liabilities."

If the record shows a large volume of business and a correspondingly greater volume of profits, the board of directors, the individual owner, is well satisfied.

"But suppose that at the same time a third sheet were placed before them—a sheet devoted to a record of what the firm had done towards the betterment and progress of its workers."

"In how many firms would that sheet be a blank?"

"But if such a sheet were to become as customary as the assets and liabilities record, employers would soon see that it would not be blank."

"That is what we want to preach."



MR. J. M. THOMPSON

Produced and explained to the local public by The Plant Juice Man at Hunter's drug store, 49 Public Square, Lima.

Just recently, Mr. J. M. Thompson, of 716 East Market street, Lima, a well known resident of this city, called on The Plant Juice Man and said:

"I am the third person in my family who has been relieved of health trouble by taking your Plant Juice," said Mr. Thompson. "Your medicine does more than is claimed and I am glad to recommend it to the public."

"The truth is that my folks never expected to see me looking and feeling as well as I do today because I was down in bed when I started taking your Plant Juice. I could not eat without awful bloating spells afterward; was weak and run down—strength all gone—and I could not sleep right. When I was able to get up, my joints would be so sore and stiff that I couldn't even get my clothes on by myself."

"This was eight weeks ago. Today, since I have taken your Plant Juice, I am in fine condition. I can eat without bloating, sleep fine and have gained 19 pounds. I am able now to put my clothes on without assistance because I do not have the least soreness. I can't say enough for your Plant Juice after what it did for me."

The Plant Juice Man is at Hunter's drug store, 49 Public Square, Lima, where he is daily meeting the local public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy. Free samples given.

Plant Juice is sold also in Lima at Hunter's drug store at Main and Wayne street and at the Argonne drug store, opposite Post Office—Adv.

Hair Often Ruined By Careless Washing

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulsified coconut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use.

Two or three teaspoonsfuls of Mulsified in a cup or glass with a little warm water is sufficient to cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub the Mulsified in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulsified coconut oil shampoo at any pharmacy, it is very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulsified.—Adv.

NATURE'S REMEDY TO-NIGHT Tomorrow Bright

Night Tonic—fresh air, a good night's sleep and an NR Tablet to make your days better.

Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) exerts a beneficial influence on the digestive and eliminative system—the skin, liver, kidneys and bowels.

Tonight—take an NR Tablet—it is so different you will be delightedly surprised. Used for over 30 years.

NR JUNIOR—Little NRs. One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy-coated. For children and adults.

HUNTER'S 3 STORES

PUBLIC SALE

There will be offered for sale at public auction at the East door of the Court House at Lima, Ohio, between the hours of 10 and 11 A. M. on January 6th, 1923, the Fred Altstaetter Farm consisting of one hundred and twenty (120) acres of land, more or less, located one-fourth mile North of Cairo, Ohio. Terms of sale: one-third (1-3) cash; one-third (1-3) in one year; one-third (1-3) in two years. Property appraised at Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars.

TIRES

Fabrics	Sizes	Cords
6,65	30x3	10,000 Miles
6,95	30x3½	\$10.45
10,25	32x3½	12.75
12,25	31x4	16.50
12,75	32x4	17.00
13,75	33x4	17.50
	34x4	

Other Sizes In Proportion

STAR
TIRE CO.

36 PUBLIC SQUARE

More Good News for the New Year

Lima Man Says The Plant Juice Has Relieved His Health Trouble

HE HAS GAINED 13 POUNDS

Day after day, citizens of Lima and vicinity continue to come forward with signed testimonies telling of the relief they have derived thru the use of this new herbal remedy, Plant Juice, that is now being intro-

BOYS' WARM OVERCOATS

..... \$4.95

Belted models in dark colorings; sizes 11 to 17; the saving is substantial.

BOYS' KNICKERS

..... \$1.65

Dark brown corduroy; lined; sizes 8 to 17; underpriced.



Deep Reductions at This After-Christmas

Sale of Coats!



Instead of abating, the interest in this sale of Women's and Misses' Coats continues to grow more intense. Values, sensational in character, are responsible without question.

Up to \$29.75 Coats

\$16

Up to \$40.00 Coats

\$22

Up to \$50.00 Coats

\$28

Up to \$60.00 Coats

\$34

The styles, the materials, the trimmings have distinguished these coats as far above the average. They are the preferred modes of the season, with rich fur adorning many of them. Materials are Velour de Laine, Cordova, Lustrosa, Ormadale, Silk Plush and Velverette—Hundreds from which to choose—2nd floor.

Special January Markdown

Men's Wear Serge

56 Inches Wide

\$2.49

This splendid quality men's wear serge may be had in the popular navy blue. It is an excellent weight for dresses; fine, firm twill; 56 inches wide; regularly sold at a higher price, yard \$2.49.

Wool Tricotine—Yard \$2.45

46 inches wide, all wool tricotine, in navy, brown, Copen and grey; splendid dress weight, special, yard \$2.45.

Velour Skirtings—Yard \$2.19

54 inches wide; remarkably attractive quality in effective checks and plaids; \$3.00 quality, yard \$2.19.

—First floor

Blanket Savings!

All Wool Blankets \$6.95

Good weight, soft finish, strictly all wool; pink and blue block plaids; specially underpriced, pair \$6.95.

Wool Finish Blankets \$4.49

Extra heavy, fine quality, warm and durable; size 68x80 inches; plaid patterns in striking colors; pair \$4.49.

Wool Finish Blankets \$3.39

Size 70x80 inches; soft, warm good looking blankets; attractive plaid patterns; below value, pair, \$3.39.

\$2.25 Cotton Blankets \$1.79

Double bed size blankets of soft cotton; gray with colored borders; a decided price saving, pair, \$1.79.

—Second floor

Imported Wool Hose

\$3.00 Quality Special, Pair \$1.98

Women's plain and heather color woolen hose—imported quality; above with wide clocking; black, navy and rib hose; pair \$1.98.

Children's \$1.00 Hose 73c

Wool and silk and wool; black, leather and grey.

Children's 50c Hose 39c

English ribbed mercerized hose in black, cardinal and heather mixtures.—First floor.

Women's Union Suits

Medium Weight \$1.00 Quality 79c

Perfect fitting union suits of fleeced cotton; three different styles; our regular \$1.00 quality, special, each 79c.—First floor.

Saturday! Special Sale

Gingham Aprons



Regularly Selling at \$3.50

\$2 29

Second Floor

Up to \$29.75

Overcoats

\$18

Overcoats from our regular stock—grouped into one large lot and remarked for disposal.

Fine, good looking ones—belted or plain models. Attractive materials in rich dark colorings. Sold up to \$29.75—Choice \$18.

Men's Shirts at \$1.59

Negligee shirts with French cuffs. Made of silk madras in striking patterns; all sizes up to 17; special \$1.59.

Men's Union Suits, 98c

Heavy fleeced union suits; warm and perfect fitting.

Velastic Union Suits, \$1.65

Heavy ribbed, fleeco lined, well known brand; specially priced.



First Floor

A Smart, New Black Suede Oxford

The price is \$5.95 and a very low figure for such style and quality. Designed of black suede, pleasingly contrasted with patent leather. Low heels with rubber lifts \$5.95

CHILDREN'S SHOES

Black or tan leather; sizes 8 1/2 to 2; well made and very specially \$1.59

HOUSE SLIPPERS

Women's and misses' of black kid; leather soles and heels; silk pom pom trimmed; all sizes \$1.59

BOYS' SHOES

Sturdy qualities, attractive styles; black or dark tan leather; sizes 1 to 6 1/2; pair \$2.95

In The Basement

CURLING IRONS
Regular \$2.00 Electric Curling Irons; complete with cord \$1.97

GAS OVENS
One burner with glass door; sells for \$2.50; special \$1.87

DUST PANS
Regular 10c heavy white enameled dust pans 8c

WAFFLE IRONS
Low frame style; heavy iron; best for waffles; \$1.75 sellers \$1.27

BILL DESIGNED TO AID CITIES

Would Permit Assessments for Cost of Operating Disposals.

A bill providing for the cost of operating a sewage disposal plant to be assessed against the property owners of the city will be presented to the legislature by the state department of public works, C. A. Bingham, city manager, announced Friday.

This is designed to aid many Ohio cities which are planning to install sewage disposal plants but which at the present time have no income from which to obtain the necessary operating funds, he said.

If this measure is adopted it will materially aid Lima as the present condition of the city's finances would make it impossible for the sewage disposal plant to be operated even if it should be constructed as pointed out.

Under the plan proposed the cost of sewage disposal would be assessed in the same manner as street lighting, cleaning and similar public works, it is said. Each property owner benefited would pay a share of the cost.

A copy of the proposed bill has been sent to each municipality in the state, with recommendation that city officials get behind the measure and press its passage by the legislature. State officials assert it is the only means of relief open to the citizens.

While the city commission has not officially considered the bill, it is believed it will officially back the

Mrs. Annie Harbison



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Warren, Ohio—"I can highly recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic and nerveine for the young mother. I found it of especial benefit during an expectant period when the influenza had left me with a nasty bronchial cough. My cough gradually diminished and my health returned rapidly after I started to take the 'Prescription.' My nerves are now normal. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a reliable tonic for women," Mrs. Annie Harbison, 5 Howland Court.

Your health is most important to you. It's easily improved. Just ask your nearest druggist for this Prescription of Dr. Pierce's in tablet or liquid form. Send 10c for sample to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., or write for free medical advice—Adv.

King Solomon —

With a thousand or more "flappers" at his beck and call failed to find out

"WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE WOMEN?"

But time has proven that there are wiser "guys" than Solomon and you'll soon have opportunity to witness a darling, dazzling exploitation of this question—watch this paper.

state board of health in the move and aid in lining up public opinion in favor of the project.

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Clyde V. Derker, 36, engineer,
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TO HEAR THE FAMOUS APOLO
LO E. & I. ORCHESTRA OF CHI
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WITH STYLE AND PEP, TO THEIR
MUSIC IN ADDITION, SEVERAL
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10 lbs. Pure Cane Sugar	73c
10 Bars P. & G. Soap	45c
4 lbs. Fancy New Rice	25c
Candled Eggs, dozen	37c
10 Bars Classic Soap	38c
Peas or Corn, can	10c
Large Can of Milk	10c
1 Gallon Syrup	45c
1 Large Loaf of Bread	.9c
Silver Star or Pride of Lima, sack	88c
50 lb. Can Pure Country Lard	\$6.00
2 lbs. Lard	25c
Fancy Box Apples, box	\$2.00
W. & C. Gold Medal Flour, sack, \$1	
1 Large Package Gold Dust	25c
1 lb. Can Higgin's Baking Powder	20c
1 Gallon Can Raspberries or Blackberries	95c
All Kinds of Scrap Tobacco, 3 for 25c	
1 Gallon Cherries, solid packed	\$1.05
Shredded Wheat, pkg.	10c
Peaches, 5 large cans yellow free	\$1.00

BASDEN'S

208 S. Main St. Tel. Main 1521

Del Monte Peaches, No. 2½ can, per can	29c
Valle Vista Peaches, No. 2½ can, per can	19c
Walrus Salmon, per can	25c
Cap Sheaf Corn, per can	7½c
Teco Pan Cake Flour, per pkg.	10c

Prunes, 2 lbs.	25c
Jell-o, per pkg.	10c
Plymouth Rock Gelatine, 2 pkgs.	25c
Pride of Lima or Silver Star Flour, per sack	90c
Classic Soap, 10 bars	38c
Star Soap, 10 bars	48c
Climalene, 3 pkgs.	25c
Lux, per pkg.	10c
Crisco, per lb.	20c
Lard, 2 lbs.	25c

Ivory Soap, 4 bars	25c
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Pure Lard, 50 lb. can	\$6.00	Bacon, 5 lbs.	\$1.00
Apples, 4 lbs.	25c	Lima Beans, 2 lbs.	25c
Apples, basket	\$2.00	Navy Beans, 2 lbs.	25c
Potatoes, sk.	\$1.75	Cranberries, qt.	20c
Potatoes, bu.	80c	Apple Butter, 2 lbs.	25c
Karo Syrup, 1b. can	50c	Apple Butter, gal.	75c
Peanut Butter, 1b.	15c	Peas, can 10c, 12½c and 20c	
Starch, 5 lbs.	40c	Prunes	15 and 20c
Pineapple, sliced,		Crackers, 2 lbs.	25c
No. 3 can	35c	Pineapple, No. 10 can	60c
Corn Meal, sk.	10c	Cherries, No. 10 can	\$1.15
Sardines, 5 cans	25c	Raspberries, No. 10 can	.98c
Sweet Oranges, doz.	30c	Strawberries, No. 10 can	
Pumpkin, 2 cans	25c	Apricots, No. 10 can	.90c
Kraut, can	15c	Black Walnuts, 5 lbs.	25c
Mustard, qt. jar	25c	Hickory Nuts, 3 lbs.	25c
Mince Meat, pkg.	12c	Fancy Red Beets	15 and 20c
Catsup, 2 bottles	25c	Limberger Cheese	35c

BEAUTIFUL DIAMOND RINGS!

Windsor's Simple Credit System
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Because these diamonds are of an unusually large size and
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and because they are arranged in three big groups of special values
—The Windsor believes you will want to take advantage of this
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There are many styles of settings from which to select—
mountings designed by master craftsmen to display to full ad
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gold or green gold, in styles for ladies or gentlemen.

\$22.50 \$47.50

50c a Week \$1 a Week

\$72.50

\$2 a Week!



South Bend Watches

\$1 a Week!
Handsome, accu
rate, adjusted move
ments with 17 jewels
in thin model cases.
Guaranteed 20 years!

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Bracelet Watches

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Many beautiful styles
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You can find no better, safer or more sensible way of invest
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Our Greatest Sweater Sale

Every Sweater in the house in 3 big lots
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\$1.69	\$1.98	\$2.98
All wool Slip-over Sweaters that sold at \$2.49 and \$2.98.	All wool Slip-over Sweaters that sold at \$2.98 and \$3.98.	All wool Slip-over Tuxedo Sweaters that sold at \$3.98, \$5.00, and \$7.50.

A Few Wonderful Bargains

Wool Heather HOSE Sold for 89c 2 pr. for \$1 Seconds	Mercerized Ribbed Sport Hose Black and Brown \$1.98 Slightly Soiled	Up to \$5 Silk Blouses \$1.98 LEATHER PURSES \$1
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Beautiful Display Early

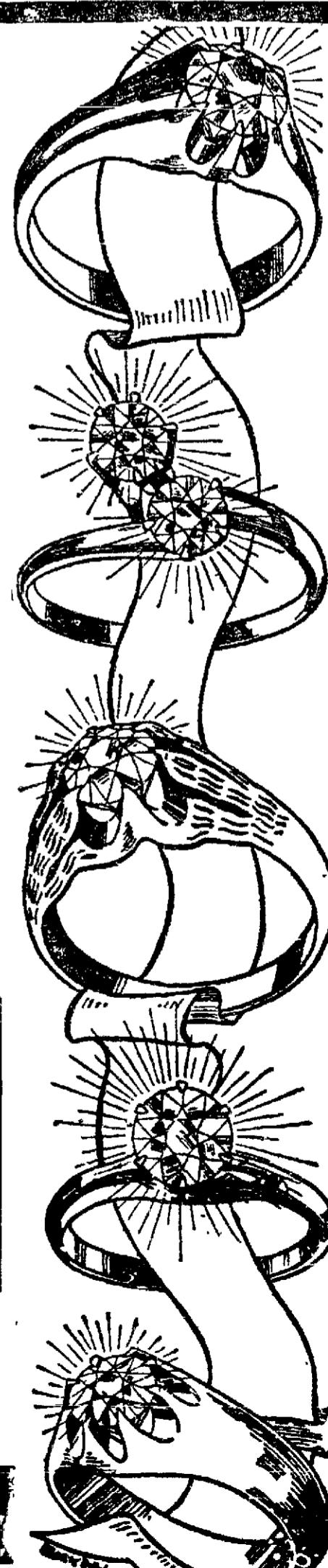
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IRWIN CASE IS UP BEFORE JURY

Allen-co Probers Hear Sordid Details of Old Case.

SIDNEY OFFICIAL WITNESS

Indictment, If Returned, Will Be Matter of Form.

Investigation of charges against Rev. Larkin W. Irwin, convicted in Shelby-co on a statutory charge, as father of the child of Elizabeth Ladd, 11, will occupy attention of the Allen-co grand jury Friday.

Prosecuting Attorney Robert Marshall of Sidney, whose efforts in the trial of Irwin contributed materially to his conviction, will be one of the principal witnesses to testify.

Evidence brought out in the trial at Sidney show that Irwin first betrayed the child while living near Harrod. It is upon this evidence that his indictment is sought.

Indictment of the pastor, if made, will be but a matter of form. He is serving 20 years in prison for the offense and there is little likelihood that further charges will be pressed unless Irwin is pardoned.

PROBE MURDER CASE

The grand jury will also hear additional testimony in the Blackhand murder of Bayen Stoloff, aged Bulgarian.

The jury may complete its labors late Friday. It is not unlikely, however, that before adjourning a tour of inspection of Allen-co institutions and the county jail will be made.

Investigation of the District Tuberculosis Hospital charges will not be considered, Prosecuting Attorney Lippincott declared. There is no tangible evidence on which to base action, he said, and if anything of the sort is done, it will not be until the joint board has concluded its probe.

VAST LENGTHS OF HOSE USED FIGHTING FIRES IN 1922, REPORT SHOWS

While combating Lima fires during 1922 a total of 42,800 feet of water hose and 2,450 feet of chemical hose was laid and 1,549 gallons of chemicals used. Chief John C. Mack points out in his annual report.

Alarms answered by the fire department during the year were distributed as follows: Bell alarms, 16; still alarms, 82; telephone alarms, 227 and false alarms, 23. A number of fires were extinguished without any reports being made to the department until later in the day.

Total loss from fires was \$75,679.50. Of this amount \$23,839.50 was on insured buildings, \$36,580 on insured merchandise and \$5,200 on property without insurance. This is a per capita loss of \$1.75 per person on the basis of 42,000 population.

During the year firemen made 2,330 mercantile inspections, 1,544 residential inspections and eight manufacturing plant inspections. There were also 25 departmental fire drills, with 500 men participating, and six school drills.

Lima was particularly fortunate during 1922, Mack asserts and the per capita fire loss here will rank among the lowest in the United States, it is believed.

LETTERS FROM CITIZENS COMMAND OFFICIALS FOR CHANGES IN LIGHT PLAN

Three letters have been received at city hall from residents in the western section of the city commanding the officials for their action in replacing 250 watt bulb, in the boulevard system with lamps of 100 watt size.

Substitution was made in the system between McDonel and Baxter-st., as an experiment to see whether or the half of smaller size would provide sufficient light to illuminate the streets. If successful, the entire residence portion of the equipment will be changed.

In letters received, the officials are told that the new lights are very satisfactory and that the results obtained from the 100 watt lamps are almost as good as that from the 250 watt bulbs. The change is recommended for all poles now using the higher powered lights.

While no official statement has been made by the city, it is understood that the substitution will be carried out providing no complaints are received in the mean time. There will be a clear saving of 200 watt hours every hour for each pair of lights and it will not be necessary to turn any of them off, officials say.

SECOND TIMER JAILED IN COAL THEFT CASE

"Second timers" brought into police court on charges of stealing coal from railroad cars will be dealt with severely.

The usual fine which has been imposed by Judge Emmet Jackson in criminal court is \$5. Second offense carries with it a term in jail.

A man registered as Charles Saltgaver, 29, of 601 Flanders-st., made his first appearance in court Friday. L. E. & W. detectives declared he had been caught taking coal and that he had over three tons at his home. Saltgaver was fined \$15.

Lloyd Hadding, 38, of 119 Irwin-st., was charged for the second time with stealing coal from the B. & O. Railroad. He was fined \$25 and sentenced to 10 days in the county jail.

WHAT'S THIS? WHAT'S THAT?
He is a man about town; well dressed and keenly alive to what is going on and this is what he said. "I like pictures shows and I don't care who knows it. I follow them closely and I want to tell you that if you don't wish to miss a good bet go to the Lyric. There's something about that theater that makes you comfortable and happy. What haven't you been there lately? Well you surely have a surprise in store. All new inside. Wouldn't know the place. Pictures always good now. Just try it Sunday."

Bluem's Store Bulletin

The House of Bluem Since 1888

Market at Elizabeth

Store Hours

"The New Retail District"

Daily 8:15 to 5:30—Excepting Saturdays—8:30 A. M. to 9 P. M.

PUBLISHED BY G. E. BLUEM

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1923

LIMA, OHIO

January Clearance Sale

Sturdy Togs for the Children at Drastic Reductions

\$30 Coats, 8 to 16 Yrs. \$19.95

The first group is composed of Chinchilla, Velour, Bolivia and genuine Polo coats, in brown, sorrento, navy, grey and tan, half and full satine lined, with Fitch or Beaver collars, very specially priced at \$19.95.

\$25 Coats, 8 to 14 Yrs. \$14.95

The second group includes a number of unusually smart little models in Bolivia, Chinchilla, sheered velour, and other materials for dress wear, and well tailored boyish sport styles of Polo, Herringbone and loose tweeds for school—some with Beaver collars, formerly \$25, for \$14.95.

\$15 Coats, 8 to 14 Yrs. \$9.95

The third group is composed of Velour, Herringbone tweeds, Polo cloths, Cheviot, Loose tweeds, etc. All are excellently tailored, and wonderful values at the new price. Coats that will give service!

Coats of Fine Fabrics for the Little Miss

Coats of broadcloth, genuine Polo cloth and splendid cheviots, in blue, grey, tan and deep rose. Coats that were \$10 to \$22.50, from 2 to 6 year sizes only, specially priced at

\$7.50 to \$14.95

The Entire Stock of Juniors' Frocks offered for Clearance

\$20 Frocks, reduced to \$13.95

Dressy velvet frocks with bodices of satin faced crepes, and unusually smart styles in bouffant taffetas and wool crepes, plain or in combination, all trimmed in the cleverest ways. Navy, brown, black and other colors.

\$15 Frocks, reduced to \$9.95

This group shows a varied selection, including frocks for both school and dress wear. Materials are wool crepe, tricotette, velvet and serge—sizes 8 to 10 years, in all desirable colors.

\$9, \$10 and \$11 Frocks at \$6.95

This group is mainly a special selection of school frocks of wool serge of the very best quality. They are made in clever youthful styles, trimmed with yarn flowers, etc. Dressy enough for out-of-school hours too!

\$6.75 to \$8 Frocks at \$4.95

From 8 to 12 years only can be served from the last group, which is composed of pretty wool school frocks in long smock styles, and red flannel knicker suits, trimmed with black silk braid. Unusually good values!

Girls' and Boys' Hats, 1/2 Price

Girl's small sport felt hats, trimmed with chenille, and girls and boys velvet toppers, fitting crown, turn up brim, and tasseled top. Splendidly made in dark colors. Formerly \$2.50 to \$4.50.

Little Boys' Coats, \$3.95 - \$4.95

Ranging from 3 to 6 years in heavy blue or grey chinchilla, Ulster style with belts, patch pockets, etc. Well lined and specially well tailored. Were \$5.75 and \$8.00.

Most Extraordinary Values in Rug and Drapery Clearance

The Fifth floor (despite carpenters and disarrangement) is showing some admirable values for Saturday's Sectional Clearances. Included are

9x12 Bussorah Axminster rugs...\$42.75

Draperies at Drastic Reductions!

All remaining 1, 2 and 3 pair of a kind

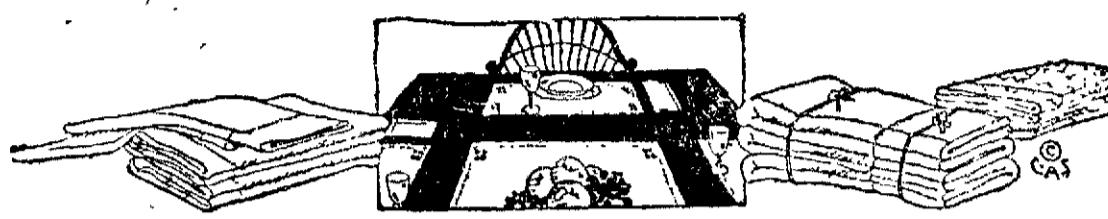
CURTAINS 1-2 PRICE!

\$33.75 Floor Lamps, reduced to ..\$27

If you are watching the Clearance Sales for values along these lines, don't miss the opportunity of shopping for these and any other things you need, tomorrow!

Fifth Floor

Saturday offers still more new Clearance Bargains—and some that bear re-announcing. Saturday night will see stocks offered at specially drastic reductions depleted. Don't delay shopping for any of these values—do it tomorrow—in the morning—while the opportunity is new!!!



The Linen Section Offers for Tomorrow

A White Sale--Linens - Towels

All Linen Damasks at \$1.60, \$1.90, \$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50 and \$3.75 per yard, with napkins to match several patterns.

All Linen and half linen cream and silver bleached damasks, in 59 and 72 inch widths, at special prices.

Double Thread
Turkish Bath Towels
42c

Pure white, heavy double thread bath towels, regularly 50c each.

Double Thread
Turkish Towels
4 for \$1.00

Heavy, pure white bath towels, wonderful values at this price.

24x48 inch Bath Towels
Special at
58c

Specially heavy quality, in pure white, with pink or blue border, regularly sell at 75c to 85c.

Irish Linen Table Cloths
\$4.68

2x2 yards, very fine satin finish, in circular designs, formerly \$6.00.

Same size cloths in a finer quality circular patterns, \$7.75 values, special at \$5.98.

70 inch Hemstitched
Tablecloths
\$1.69

Mercerized table cloths, with hemstitched hems, well made, good quality, \$2 and \$2.50 values. 68 inch size, different quality \$1.98 each.

All Linen
Crash Toweling
22c yard

Pure linen bleached toweling, with red border, 29c quality.

A Clearance Sale of Kerchiefs

59c Kerchiefs for 45c
Small blue centers with net lace edges, pink, blue, yellow, etc.

35c Kerchiefs for 29c
Printed Linon, Lawn, and varied selection of other styles,



Women's Kerchiefs

\$1.25 and \$1.50

Kerchiefs—\$1

Very fine Maderias, exquisitely embroidered and other fine linens with Filet lace inserted in corner, etc.

75c Kerchiefs for 50c

Hand embroidered linens in white and colors. Very fine kerchiefs.

50c Kerchiefs for 39c

Hand embroidered, white and colored linens, both hemmed and scalloped, printed sport kerchiefs in the newest designs, etc.

25c Kerchiefs, 5 for \$1

White and colored linen handkerchiefs, in novel styles with embroidered corners, Initialed Lawn, Sport Prints, etc.



\$2 Silk Hose \$1.69

Pure thread silk hose, full fashioned, in black, brown and grey, splendid quality, regularly sell at \$2 pair, special at \$1.69 pair.

RIBBED SPORT HOSE—75c

Mercerized ribbed sport hose, women's sizes, navy only, with embroidered blue and white clox, splendid quality, reduced from 95c pr.



BZ-Z-Z

(Propaganda)
by The Personal Shopper

Reinstatement

Of Taffeta for Spring is made all the more charming by its accompaniment of the Victorian mode. Hips are wired out again—ruffles elaborate skirts, sleeves and necks when a gorgeous Bertha is not in evidence—and hem lines because of the bouffant tendencies of skirts become gracefully uneven.

A score of new models in Spring taffetas have just arrived in the Frack Shop—Third Floor, in black, brown, navy, etc., \$22.50 to \$65.

The Coarse Parker

Isn't a despicable person, but a pen—an admirable fountain pen. There is not a man to be found who doesn't wish for one after he has seen another fellow use one. They look manly—of dark orange with black tips, they write manfully, that's why the "coarse"—and they belong to the reliable Parker family. What more could a man ask of a pen?

\$7 in the Stationery Section
on the First Floor.

\$2.50 Taffetas

Splendid qualities, in brown, black, several shades of navy blue and evening shades, 36 inches wide, new for Spring frocks just arrived, \$2.50 quality at

\$1.89 yd.

Men's Silk Gloves

Men's silk dress gloves, Hansen Make, in grey only, with black stitching, excellently made, regular \$1.25 values, very specially priced for Saturday at

98c pr.

Dutch Enamel Week - End Cases

The following are reduced prices on our entire stock of Duck Enamel Week End Cases—chintz and cretonne lined—all splendid qualities in every way—

18 inch Bag was \$8 Clearance Price	20 inch Bag was \$9 Clearance Price	24 inch Bag was \$9 Clearance Price

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TOPICS OF DAY, BRIEFLY TOLD

Another War Threatens—World Economic Puzzle—Hughes Offers Plan
Current Events Discussed for Students and Adults

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
The year 1923 enters with one acute, pressing, very dangerous "situation" for the world to face and another one of the chronic type, with perhaps even greater possibility of danger but not so desperately urgent, to be dealt with.

The former is the Christian powers' difference of opinion with the Turks over what is known as the "Near Eastern question."

This is the problem that the international conference at Lausanne, Switzerland, has been struggling with. It started as a discussion intended to lead up to a settlement of the issues for which the last war between Turkey and Greece was fought, ending in the Turks' overwhelming victory. It has degenerated, however, into a wrangle between the Turks and England and this wrangle, diplomatic though far from it, threatens to wind up in a fight, a fight that might drag in a great many more countries.

The latter "situation" revolves around the financial and economic tangle among the war-torn European nations. To say that this isn't an urgent problem, too, would be entirely wrong, but it isn't quite a matter of days, hours even minutes, like the Near Eastern danger. Troops and warships aren't actually on the move yet, and there's still sufficient ground for hoping they won't be, in western Europe, as in the Near East.

EACH SAYS OTHER SIDE IS OBSTINATE

The deadlock, if it proves to be such, at Lausanne, is over two things:

1. Mosul.

2. The "capitulations."

Mosul is a vilayet, province or state in Asiatic Turkey, on the Persian frontier, about 400 miles east of the island of Cyprus, at the extreme eastern end of the Mediterranean. To this vilayet England received a "mandate" that is to say, was given the responsibility by the League of Nations. The Turkish Nationalists, who are in control now, say the vilayet passed out of Turkish control because the then sultan, whom the Nationalists have since deposed, was completely under the allies' thumb and agreed to anything they dictated. They repudiate the arrangement and demand the return of Mosul. The English refuse to surrender it.

"Capitulations," which in the present case relate to judicial matters, mean this:

A certain country or countries which have citizens and interests in some other country less advanced

in their opinion, than themselves refuse, so far as their citizens and interests are concerned, to abide by that country's laws or the decisions of its courts. They insist that differences of opinion concerning their citizens and interests in that country shall be settled in accordance with their own laws and by their diplomatic representatives or by courts of their own creation in the country where they are living or are situated. This is known as "extra-territorial jurisdiction."

Naturally no country likes it. At worst it may be subject to abuse. At best it's a great humiliation.

It used to prevail in Turkey, as it does still in China, but the Turks abolished it during the war. Now the allies, backed by the United States, demand its re-establishment. The Turks refuse.

MOSUL'S VAST OIL DEPOSITS

The Turks say the Lausanne conference is tied up because England is so stubborn about Mosul. The allies say it is tied up because the Turks are so stubborn about the "capitulations."

Without paying any compliment to the Turks, who are notoriously bad rulers, it must be said that their own weakness in the other countries' position, to which distinguished observers haven't failed to call attention,

Mosul is valuable because of its vast oil deposits. The "capitulations" are important because of the

fare of Christian subjects of the Turks, the European negotiators at Lausanne are willing to discuss amicably, but when it comes to their own material claims, like oil and the advantages they enjoy under the "capitulations," they're immovable.

And the Americans, though only onlookers at the conference, are giving moral support to this position.

English are rushing war ships to Turkish waters. The Greeks, hoping to profit by an outbreak of fighting, are moving military forces toward Thrace, in Europe, which both the Greeks and Turks claim.

The outlook is not hopeless, but very threatening.

SEEKING ECONOMIC TERMS

Secretary of State Hughes has fully explained what the United States government is trying to do toward improving the European economic situation.

As has been pointed out before, the central question is:

How much is Germany able to pay in the way of war damages?

This has been thrashed over again and again by diplomats representing the interested countries. They can't agree. The allied diplomats insist that Germany is able to pay more than the German diplomats admit she is able to pay.

The American idea is to take the question away from the diplomats to make it a business question, not a political one. It is Secretary Hughes' view that business men would be guided solely by business considerations—not what Germany ought to pay, but what she can pay. Diplomats, he seems to think, can't get the thought of what she can pay out of their minds.

ident Harding to call another payment limitation, has withdrawn his suggestion, because it was explained to him that he was embarrassing this other plan, outlined by Secretary Hughes.

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Plump, tender, thin-skinned, juicy morsels with all seeds removed.

You have never tried a more delicious fruit.

Two sizes which your retailer sells as follows:
12 oz. tins for not more than 20c
6 oz. tins (cupful size) for not more than 15c

Sun-Maid Raisins in Tins

Deadlock Must Be Broken Or Europe Will Collapse

A situation fraught with inconceivable menace to Europe and the rest of the world is rapidly approaching the final crisis, all the dispatches from Europe agree. Certain officials do not hesitate to say that the Entente will end if France takes military measures before the conclusion of the discussions in the Premiers' Conference at Paris.

From the administration at Washington comes the statement quoted in the New York *Herald* that the reparations question is at the root of financial trouble in Europe. In addition, this government has intimated that until the reparations are settled on a reasonable basis, it is idle to expect that any aid the United States desires to extend can avail. And American newspapers hold that the deadlock on reparations is a big obstacle to the resumption of prosperity here, and hence affects every one of us.

What, then, is a "reasonable basis" for reparations and why all the difference of opinion even among former allies? That some impatient Americans appear tired of hearing about the matter, has been evident for three years, but that we need to gain some comprehensive view of the facts is more and more obvious. Remarks like "Why don't they all get back on the job?" or "If they'd use a pick and shovel more and a typewriter and a megaphone less, we'd feel more like canceling debts," may express the view of much of our press comment, but do not help the problem.

The leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST this week presents France's claims. It shows the actual damage which France suffered by the war; what France has done since the armistice to help herself; how much Germany has paid in reparations. The information in this article was obtained by the editor of THE LITERARY DIGEST in Paris from the French Government and French press-reports, supplemented by information supplied by the American Committee for Devastated France, and from the French Consulate in New York. It is of the most definite and authoritative character obtainable and must be considered if one would understand the reparations question which is the core of all the conferences, negotiations, and disputes now agitating Europe and America. The article is profusely illustrated with half-tone photographs, charts, and maps. Other news-features in the January 6th DIGEST are:—

A Move For Better Dry Team-Work
The Fight Against the Spoils System
The Little Entente Growing Bigger
A Physician's Plea For Coué
Listening Across the Continent
John Barrymore's New Idea of "Hamlet"
Wilhelm II, Resigned, Under a New Regime

How the Straits Problem Affects America
The Stock Dividend Deluge
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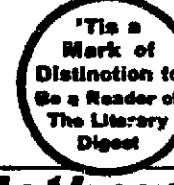
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Why not make sure that your children have the advantage of using the Funk & Wagnalls Comprehensive and Concise Standard Dictionaries in school and at home? It means quicker progress.

Ask Their Teachers

OUGHT to pay out of their minds and discussing that is time wasted, because it makes no difference what she ought to do if it's impossible.

Theoretically neither Germany nor the claimants against her would be bound to accept the decision of the business experts, but Secretary Hughes believes the world's public opinion would force them both to do so if the figure named evidently was a just one.

It yet remains to be seen whether this plan will be adopted.

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Odd Lots And Broken Assortments, But Finest Quality And Good Range of Sizes

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EX-MILLIONAIRE RUNS TOY SHOP

Once Friend Of Former Kaiser
Now Resident Of Seattle

SEATTLE — (Special) — Alvo von Alvensleben, scion of one of the proudest families of Prussia, who

had millions a few years ago and who was reported to be the personal friend and agent of the kaiser, today is running a little toy store here.

After remaining in obscurity since his release from Fort Douglas, Utah, where he was interned, Von Alvensleben suddenly made his re-appearance in Seattle and, advertised by the newspaper stories about his spectacular past, is doing a rushing business.

Von Alvensleben's career rivals anything in fiction. Born in a family identified with the German nobility since 756, he was brought up

in the military caste and was an officer in the German army.

DENIES TRADITION
He defied tradition, resigned his commission and came to this country in 1904. After working as a common laborer around Vancouver, B. C., two years, he made a "stake" and plunged into land speculations. He made millions.

For years he was the social leader of Vancouver. He had a mansion that rivaled old world castles. He was attended by huge retinues of servants. He operated a whole fleet of expensive automobiles. He supported a stable of polo ponies.

Then came the war. Von Alvensleben came to the United States, but ugly rumors followed him and wrecked his business. The story was generally printed that he was slated to be governor-general of Canada—if the kaiser won. And he was certainly intimate with the German embassy.

INTERNE THREE YEARS
Von Alvensleben was interned and kept in captivity three years. He lost what remained of his fortune—either thru confiscation or because of unpaid taxes.

Finally released, he had just \$51

—but he went into business at once as an exporter and importer and was successful in a modest way.

He was still a plunger. He put his entire capital into a cargo of German Christmas goods. He would have realized handsomely—if the shipment hadn't been delayed—arriving too late for Christmas.

That resulted in his decision to enter the retail trade—and he's making a success at it. The graces which he once displayed at the German court are now showered upon the humble housewives of Seattle—and they like it.

How Savings Grow AT 5% COMPOUND INTEREST

MONTHLY SAVINGS FOR
10 YEARS OF

\$1.00 Amounts to	\$155.49
\$2.00 Amounts to	\$310.93
\$5.00 Amounts to	\$774.43
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Every Wanted Fabric, Pattern,
Style and Size In This Selection

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Presenting a wonderful array of fine Shirts radically reduced for this sale.

Boys' Two-Pants Suits

Underwear

89c

**The Man
who**

looks to the future with an economical eye will appreciate the great values offered at this sale.

\$7.50, \$9.50, \$11.50

Neckwear

We have taken all the odds and ends of higher priced lines of Silk Neckwear and placed them in one group at ...

3 For \$1.00

Hats

Headwear that will be in style this coming spring as well as today is offered at savings.

25% Dis.

Blouses

One big lot of boys' school blouses in light and dark patterns all fast colors.

Underwear

Boys' fine winter ribbed fleeced, in sizes 4 years to 16 years.

Boys' O'Coats, 25% Dis.

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Bronner Has Another Session With French Healer.

DON'T BE TOO ANALYTICAL

Suggest Good Things, Autosuggestion Leader Says.

(BY MILTON BRONNER)
Lima News Staff Correspondent

NANCY (France)
(Special)

"And how are we feeling today?"

It is Monsieur Emile Coue of dressing the writer at the door of suggestion leader's home in Nancy. It is my second clinic. He remembers that I am there because I am supposed to be suffering from a nervous breakdown.

COLE — Come, don't know I am merely supposed to be suffering from "nerves." And acting up to my part, I am doing worse because so little attention has been paid to me.

"Can't see much improvement," I mutter. "I don't sleep at night. My appetite is bad and I don't digest my food."

My doctor interrupting one why catalog all your bills? If you go on at that rate searching your self in that way, every day you will discover more points and more symptoms. Try to get yourself into the frame of mind expressed by the formula, every day, in every way, I am getting better and better."

"Isn't that sort of off-hypno-sus?" I ask, possibly. Come suited. I tell it what you want. But don't be too analytical. Don't intellectualize too much over the thing. All I ask you to do is to give the principle a shooting chance. See whether it will not do what I claim.

"You are bound to know something of the powers of autosuggestion. You are familiar with the old story of four or five people at various intervals telling a person how gods he looks, how badly he looks until the man finally goes home to his feelings."

"If by suggestion you can suggest bad things to others and to yourself, why not suggest good things?" Look here.

DIFFERENCE IN DOCTORS

"For years I was a busy druggist in my pharmacy. I made up the prescriptions the doctors gave their patients."

"I said to myself some of those drugs would not cure anything. Per-

haps it was the combination of drugs that did the work. But no sometimes the same prescription, given to two different persons, cured one and left the other unaided."

"Then I got the key of it. One doctor gave the medicine and said to his patient 'Tomorrow you will be even so much better.' The other doctor simply gave the medicine without comment, or even expressed doubt as to the certainty of its effect."

"The one doctor brought about autosuggestion in his patient, the other did not."

"Remember our unconscious self is both our slave and a king. The slave king is seated on a throne. We tell this slave what to do and it then rules us."

"If you keep telling yourself over and over, 'I'm gay in every way, I am getting better and better,' your slave will see to it that this statement becomes fact."

"Above all, avoid the demand doubt

GIVE YOURSELF A CHANCE

"I am not asking you to give me chance. I am asking you to give yourself a chance."

If you stay here long enough you will see people who have given themselves to that kind of who care ever so much happiness, and yet the have found a way to live in pain and misery."

"I don't claim to work miracles. As a matter of fact, I can't even simply help people to help themselves. I point out the way."

STAND BY — Bronner says come into some sick minds.

PRIE WORK SUSPENDED

MARION Work on the Burnt Run, known as the Scenic Trail has been suspended for the winter. The road has been opened for traffic for most of the winter giving direct route to Burnside. Work on the trail will be completed in the spring.

COLE — Come, don't

know I am merely supposed to be suffering from "nerves." And acting up to my part, I am doing worse because so little attention has been paid to me.

"Can't see much improvement," I mutter. "I don't sleep at night. My appetite is bad and I don't digest my food."

My doctor interrupting one why catalog all your bills? If you go on at that rate searching your self in that way, every day you will discover more points and more symptoms. Try to get yourself into the frame of mind expressed by the formula, every day, in every way, I am getting better and better."

"Isn't that sort of off-hypno-sus?" I ask, possibly. Come suited. I tell it what you want. But don't be too analytical. Don't intellectualize too much over the thing. All I ask you to do is to give the principle a shooting chance. See whether it will not do what I claim.

"You are bound to know something of the powers of autosuggestion. You are familiar with the old story of four or five people at various intervals telling a person how gods he looks, how badly he looks until the man finally goes home to his feelings."

"If by suggestion you can suggest bad things to others and to yourself, why not suggest good things?" Look here.

DIFFERENCE IN DOCTORS

"For years I was a busy druggist in my pharmacy. I made up the prescriptions the doctors gave their patients."

"I said to myself some of those drugs would not cure anything. Per-

GOVERNOR KNOWN AS TIGER TIM

Irish Free State Official Wins Many Verbal Battles.

LONDON — (Special) — "Tim" Healy, the Irish Free State's first governor general, is known by the same nickname as ex-Premier Clemenceau of France — "The Tiger."

It is a little "Tim" won by his friends in combat during his long tenure as an "Irish home rule" implement.

Stories are told without end of the verbal encounters in which he came off with first honors.

He never liked Joseph Chamberlain, who began his political life as a Liberal and later joined the Tories in the English phrase "he rated one night in the House of Commons as a liberal leader being absent, and followed, with nobody to keep them in order, rather noisy. Chamberlain remarked: "When the cats are in the house will play?" "And the dogs?" added Healy.

During the Boer War when bitter charges of stupidity were being made against the British generals in the field, a number of parliament asked how many horses had been sent to Africa. And how many did he continue when the question had been answered: "Tell me how many asses?" interrupted the tiger."

Id rather vote for the devil than for you!" shouted an elector during a speech Tim was making as a candidate for re-election.

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IRELAND TO SEND MORE COPS

Large Contingent Due Soon,
Says Father Grogan.

FARMERS HOLD LEAD NOW

Policeman Class of Immigrants
to Be Recruited.

NEW YORK.—(Associated Press)
Ireland is going to send another
large contingent of "cops" to the
United States.

This is the opinion of Father Anthony Grogan, official chaplain at the immigration station on Ellis Island. And Father Grogan ought to know.

Twenty-two years ago the priest—a frail, but smiling man—crept awkwardly, for the first time, aboard a liner from a bobbing tug off the quarantine station. Since then he has made the trip many times, until he has become an authority on immigration—particularly Irish immigration. Recently officials at the Island presented him with a purse to show they thought of him.

According to Father Grogan, Ireland contributes, in a general way, two classes of immigrants. One farms, the other chases criminals with a zeal that justifies the conventional quip of the joke-books.

When he first began work, the priest said the farmers outnumbered the policemen. Then the police had the majority and now the farmers hold the lead, because in the opinion of Father Grogan, the chief result of the war on Ireland was to drive her sons back to the farms.

"But in the last few months," continued Father Grogan, "there has been a tendency to the cities again. We are finding more and more Irishmen who want to get city work—and that really means that they want to do police work."

"The Irish are a peculiar lot, but they are an enthusiastic lot. And if I do say it—being Irish—they make good immigrants. They make good citizens, too."

"I've seen them come in here, tired of the struggle at home, tired of the constant bickering and fighting of the Free State and I've seen most of them forget all about Irish politics when they arrive. They do not forget Ireland—but they do lose their interest in politics, because once here they know it is not so personal with them."

Father Grogan meets most of the boats which bring Irish immigrants to see that everybody is happy. But officials of other countries receive just as heartily a handshake from the chaplain.

"Any one who comes into this country under the supervision of Father Grogan, comes into it with a start that is sure to make him a good citizen," says Commissioner R. H. Tod, in charge of the station.

J. W. HILL TO ADDRESS KIWANIS AT DELPHOS

Rev. Dr. John Wesley Hill, Chancellor of the Lincoln Memorial University, will in all probability be secured by the Delphos Kiwanis club for an address January 15, according to officials of the club Thursday night.

Secretary W. G. Maurer has communicated with the noted lecturer and is expecting acceptance of the local invitation.

HAVANA FIVE, 5c CIGAR

TAKE TIP FROM BRITISH LABOR PARTY M'DONALD URGES AMERICANS

(By MILTON BRONNER)
LONDON.—(Special)—American workers may as well take a lesson in political organization from their British brothers, suggests J. Ramsay McDonald, first Laborite to head the government opposition in the House of Commons.

He is a man who has made history and is destined to make a great deal more. By reason of his new position, he is generally regarded as the most likely candidate for the premiership if the Labor Party wins Parliament within the next six or eight years.

"I do not wish," McDonald said in his first after-election interview, "to advise the workers of the United States without their invitations to do so, but I cannot help expressing the view that their political organizations are altogether out of date and ineffective.

"They would do well to study the British Labor party and adapt its methods to their conditions."

I asked him what was the Labor program for improvement of living and working conditions of the laboring class. For reply, he referred me to the official manifesto of his party which says:

"Labor's policy is to provide work or maintenance for the unemployed by reopening trade with foreign countries, by the national organization of production, and by a large program of necessary and useful public works. Labor is resolved to change, as speedily as possible, by constructive measures the social and economic system which confers unfair privileges on the few and undeserved hardship of the many.

"Pointing out that many of his Labor colleagues said present economic conditions in Europe were due to the attempt to impose impos-



J. RAMSAY MCDONALD

the foremost of which is peace. We were officially represented, for instance, at the recent conference at the Hague."

During the campaign one of the planks of the Labor platform was a capital levy on all fortunes above £5,000, the proceeds to be used to wipe out the national debts. All the opposition parties bitterly attacked this, saying a vote for Labor was a vote for Lenin and Trotsky. Never the less, Labor almost doubled its representation in Parliament.

McDonald is tall, swarthy skinned, with mop of iron-gray curly hair and dark mustache, beginning to go gray. He has a splendid speaking voice and r-rolls his r's like a drum beat.

**DELPHOS COUNCIL PLANS
PAVING OF THREE STREETS**

Start on the work of improvement of S. Main, S. Pierce and Cleveland streets, will be made at the beginning of spring. It plans of the Delphos city council carry. The body will consider the first steps Tuesday night in the project which has been held up since 1918.

Repeal of three ordinances affecting the improvement and paving of three others will be considered. If passed, the ordinances will be effective within 30 days, after which advertising of bids may be opened within two weeks. Letting of the contract and other steps can be taken before spring arrives, councilmen believe.

Twenty-three thousand square yards of paving is included in the project. A contract with the Johnson company of Napoleon for paving with wood block was abrogated by an injunction secured by property owners in Allen-co common pleas court.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

Specials for the Motorists

Columbia Hot Shots	\$1.85
Windshield Cleaners	.69c
Heat and Wind Mats for Fords	.35c
Genuine Weed Chains, 30x3½	\$3.35
(Others in Proportion)	

Ford Battery, 18 Months Guarantee	\$14.95
A. C. and Champion Spark Plugs	.45c
Light Oils, per gallon	.50c
Manifold Heaters for Fords	.75c
Hood and Radiator Covers	\$2.59

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MOTTO—
"THE SAME
GOODS FOR
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GEARS-BEARINGS-TIRES & ACCESSORIES

206 S. MAIN ST. MAIN 6877. Gallon

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KIRBY'S PRE-INVENTORY SALE

This Sale Starts Saturday 8 A. M.—Will Last One Week Only—

Kirby's Sale of Ladies' High Grade Shoes

These High Grade Dress Shoes Were Made To Sell for \$5, \$6 and \$8—These High Grade Shoes Are Made in High Heels.

We have all sizes and widths—
These shoes are out of date.
Regular price \$5 to \$8—On
This Sale at only

\$1.45 \$1.45
Values up to \$8. No
Exchanges, No Refunds

These shoes are all hand turned solid leather soles. High grade makes—They are out of date. Specially priced.



\$2.95
\$3.45
5c Value

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Misses' and
Children's
High brown lace
shoes for
school or dress
sizes 8½ to
2. Pre-in-
ventory sale
Price.

\$1.69
Men's Solid
Leather
Scout Shoes
all sizes.

\$1.95
The finest up to date strap pumps with clever
new heels as well as big variety of brown and
black oxfords. These are all new models. Pre-
Inventory Sale Price.

\$2.95
\$3.45
5c Value

Gent's and Youth's
Brown Lace Dress
and School Shoes
Special.

Misses' and Child-
ren's Comfies, Pad-
ded Soles. Special.

\$1.95

75c

KIRBY'S
43 PUBLIC SQUARE

Ladies' Spats and
Broken Size Rub-
bers. Special.

45c

Gent's and Girls' School Shoes
broken sizes. Spec-
ial.

\$1.50

NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR INSURANCE UNION

Grover Fanchier has been elected president of Buckeye Chapter No. 716, American Insurance Union, which meets in Hawisher Hall.

Other officers elected at the same time include: Mrs. Gerdling, vice president; Mrs. Elsie Basinger, secretary; Norma Faucher, cashier; Benjamin A. Mann, treasurer; Anita Gerdling, chaplain; Harry Loidner, past president; Jerome Basinger, editor; Mrs. Hubble, marshal; Mrs. Mann, custodian; Mrs. Elling, warden; Mr. Lerch, argus; R. A. V. Sherry, Harry Leidner, Belle Glaze, trustees; Cora Dibert, musician; Mrs. Longsworth, team captain; Norma Fanchier, junior regent.

HAVANA FIVE, 5c CIGAR

ARE YOU MARRIED?

If so, you may think you know.

"WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE WOMEN?"

If you're still single it will pay you well to sit up and take notice, for a daring answer to this age-old question is in store for you—watch this paper.

The Great Shoe Sale of the Season

The Royal Boot Shop's January Clearance Sale

Buy Now for the Entire Family
and Save Money

AT

LIMA'S ONLY EXCLUSIVE
DOWN-STAIRS SHOE STORE

Better Values

Bigger Savings

The Royal Boot Shop
Quality Shoes
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NORTHEAST CORNER MAIN AND HIGH

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Every Garment In the Shop Reduced
PROFITS IGNORED, COSTS DISREGARDED DURING OUR

JANUARY

Clearance Sale!

THIS Sale means that we must clear every Fall and Winter Garment in our store, no matter what price it will bring. This is the month we must sacrifice in order to dispose.

DRESSES

One lot of dresses, of silk crepe, polet twill, satins and talcettes, values up to \$24.75, mostly sizes up to 38. While they last—

\$9.75

DRESSES

Very fine high class dresses of canton crepe, satin, polet twill. Values up to \$24.50.

\$14.50

ONE LOT OF FUR TRIMMED

Coats \$14.50

All Wool Coats, mostly fur trimmed for Misses and Women in wool velour, double face cloth, Suedone and Silk plush, sold up to \$34.50. Clearing Sale prices...

Coats \$19.75

Fine dressy Coats of Bolivias, Suedone, Velours, Australians and double faced sport cloth and silk plush, with fur collar, silk lined. Values up to \$34.75.

SKIRTS

50 all wool Skirts in poplin, serges and tweeds, very special, values up to \$3.50.

\$2.98

FUR SCARFS
25 Fur Scarfs, animal shapes, sold up to \$14.50.

\$5.00

Anybody can understand the "Price Language" I talk—every day, any day, you can collect a barrel of value here for a spoonful of dough.

OPEN EVERY EVENING AND SUNDAY A. M.

Skid Chains

Genuine Rid-O-Skid and
Weed at Cut Prices

FORMAN AXLE SHAFTS FOR MOST ALL CARS IN STOCK

AMERICAN SPRINGS

We endeavor to carry in stock at all times all springs for which there are frequent demands.

METZGER SPRING SHACKLE BOLTS FOR ALL CARS

Cord Fan Belts for most all Cars.

Auto Visors \$2.45

Wind and Heat Mats for Fords 40c

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Roadster, complete at \$6.00

Touring, complete set \$9.00

Automobile Electric Starter and Lighting Generator Brushes.

COLUMBIA FOUR CELL BATTERY

Our Price

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WINDSHIELD CLEANER

Cleans both sides of the glass—Our Special price

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To The People of Lima and Vicinity:—

Having lived in Lima for a number of years previous and realizing the need of a market house, we finally decided that with the cooperation of the undersigned merchants, we could successfully conduct a market house to the satisfaction and convenience of all.

Other markets similar to the High Street Market House have been operated successfully for many years in other large cities, therefore we believe that there is a need for just such a market in Lima.

In getting together under one roof, we are able to combine our buying power, and buy merchandise at a much lower cost, therefore we are able to sell our goods to you at very low prices.

In equipping this market house we had in mind these things, to make this market a convenience to the shopper, and to reduce high overhead expenses. Young mothers need not hesitate about

visiting our market when downtown with the baby, because we have eliminated all steps, and provided wide aisles, so wheel your baby carriage right in and do your marketing. For the convenience of the women shoppers we have provided a ladies' rest room on the second floor.

This market is composed of individual specialists in their lines, and in addition to the square dealing and excellent service they will render you, you will be fully protected by the management.

This is your market house and we solicit your patronage.

Sincerely yours,

THE HIGH STREET MARKET CO.

Per O. C. Robinson, Mgr.
May Shane, Ass't Mgr.

C. J. JOHNSON formerly with Wright's

FRESH AND SMOKED MEATS

LEAN PORK ROAST 16c a lb.	LEAN PORK CHOPS 20c a lb.
LOIN AND ROUND STEAK 25c a lb.	POT ROAST 12½c a lb.
SLICED HAM 45c a lb.	VEAL CHOPS 25c a lb.
BOILED HAM 60c a lb.	DRIED BEEF 70c a lb.
DECKER'S SLICED BACON 38c a lb.	ALL BOLOGNÀS 18c a lb.
SMOKED CALLA HAM, Sugar Cured 18c a lb.	BLOCK HAM for slicing, half or whole 30c a lb.



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Teco or Henkle Brand Pancake Flour, 3 pkgs.	25c	Walrus Brand Red Salmon Very special, a can	24c
High Grade Bulk Coffee, Special for Saturday, lb.	23c	4 Boxes of Sardines, Neptune brand, packed in oil or mustard	25c
Mothers Crushed Oats per pkg. (Limit, 3 pkgs. to a customer)	9c	Also a Most Complete Line of Kosher Delicatessens	

Newkirk's Home Made Candies

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Pure Cream Taffy

Made and pulled before your eyes. Made of pure Cream, Butter and sugar.

SPECIALS

Salted Peanuts lb.	10c	Good Mixed Chocolates lb.	19c
Fudge lb.	10c	Peanut Butter or Molasses Kisses, lb.	20c
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Dressed and Live Poultry At All Times

Fresh killed poultry at all times. We do not handle cold storage products.

Our Prices are always the Lowest

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FANCY APPLES Grimes, Baldwins, Russets and Roman Beauties, per lb.	5c
NAVAL ORANGES—Large size, per dozen	35c
GRAPE FRUIT—Large size 3 for 25c and 4 for 25c	

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30c and 35c a doz.

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17c a lb.

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20c a pkg.

Leaf and Head Lettuce
Cauliflower Parsley Shallots
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SPECIAL for SATURDAY
ALL KINDS OF NUTS, per lb.... 20c

Lowest Prices Always

— Come in and Be Convinced —

Hartman & Kundert GROCERY CO.

Below Are Only a Few of Our Prices

5 lb. sack Pride of Lima Flour	23c	1 lb. 35c Bulk Coffee	32c
3 lb. sack Yellow Corn Meal	9c	2 lbs. Blue Rose Rice	13c
5 lbs. Granulated Sugar	38c	2 lbs. Navy Beans	19c
1 lb. 25c Bulk Coffee	22c	2—15c Cans Pure Food Salmon	25c

Fill Your Market Basket with Quality Groceries at Our Low Prices



Blue Pike
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A HEALTH BUILDING FOOD

Medical doctors will tell you that the amount of body and brain building nourishment is far superior to that found in most meats. If you want to be sure of the quality of the sea foods on your table, buy here.

Fresh Caught Boneless Herring, ready for the pan, 20c lb.

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"CREAM FRIED CAKES"

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These Mellow Cakes from an Old Southern Recipe

Two Tempting Styles: Plain 20c, doz.; Sugared, 25c
PHONE CALLS FOR SPECIAL PIES AND CAKES GIVEN PROMPT
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MUSIC--SATURDAY 1 P. M. TO 8:30 P. M.--5 PIECE ORCHESTRA

WOMAN ASKS HER JOB BE KILLED

Justice Believes She Could Accomplish More Good.

YONKERS, N. Y.—(Special)—Justice of the Peace Carrie R. Thomas will go before the state legislature shortly to ask that her job be abolished.

The woman, who was the first in the state to be elected to such an office and whose townspeople gave her the largest vote of any candidate, is willing to forego political distinction if, by so doing, she can better the cause of the common people.

Justice Thomas would have courts of conciliation supersede the office to which she was elected.

"The office of a justice used to be known as the poor man's court," she says, "but I soon discovered that this was not so. Hundreds of persons with small just claims were

obliged to pass them up because they could not pay the fees.

"Under my plan courts would be established where litigants would be given legal advice without charge. Then, if they still could not settle their differences, they could carry them into the higher courts."

"These courts of conciliation would be open courts for court parapheonals very impressive to certain types of mind. On the bench would be one, two or three judges who would serve without pay. These judges would be older lawyers or retired merchants and they would render decisions immediately."

"Nearly all small claims are just ones but the long waits imposed by legal processes frequently work severe hardship on the poor."

Altogether she has three years of her term yet to serve. Justice Thomas is willing to have the office done away with at once so that the new court may be established.

She describes her attitude as characteristic of the woman in politics.

"Women do not go into politics for the glory they will get," she says, "but for the good they can accomplish."

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OPEN LETTERS

To My Neighbors

KIND FRIENDS: I don't know how much, if any, value the eminent Frenchman's autosuggestion theory has in the healing of sick, but I do know of an opportunity to apply a little Coueism to a thriving city in a very satisfactory manner.

How about this for our 1923 creed?

EVERY DAY, IN EVERY WAY, LIMA IS GETTING BETTER AND BETTER AND WELL GET BEHIND AND PUSH.

LIMA BEANE

To My City Officials

FRIENDS: You propose to regulate the sale of revolvers and pistols—the deadly ones responsible for so much killing and maiming—I am told. Fine! I hope you will not delay this action long and if you do enact such regulations, they will be so iron clad that thugs and ordinary thieves will not be able to buy weapons in my city.

I have long advocated such restrictions and am certain my people will welcome them.

LIMA BEANE

To Vic Donahey

DEAR VIC: Beginning Monday, I'll have to address you as Governor. I trust your administration will be all that is expected and confidently hoped for by the people of Ohio as well as by yourself.

You have my best wishes and will also have my aid and support in all right moves.

LIMA BEANE

To Congressman Cable

DEAR JOHN: The first step has been taken to provide your city and mine with a new postoffice building. Recommendation that more than \$400,000 be spent here for that purpose has gone to congress, I am informed.

I appreciate this move, John, but I also realize the possible delay between such a recommendation and the actual breaking of ground for the building. Get on the job, John, and don't let 'em forget that we have the most disreputable, inefficient and dilapidated federal building in this part of the state. Get us a new postoffice building that will be a credit to our city and we'll be for you all the stronger for governor two years hence.

LIMA BEANE

To President Harding

DEAR WARREN: In vetoing the Bursum bill you have killed, for a time at least, another measure intended to compensate those who served their nation in time of need and their dependents. This together with your veto of the bonus measure makes a clean sweep.

Altho you will have supporters in your action on these two bills, I believe you will find later there are enough opposed to your vetoes to be a formidable factor in helping speed your return to the good old home town of Marion.

LIMA BEANE

To J. G. Neubauer

DEAR JOHN: Allow me to add a few words of appreciation for your fine services in my community to those already expressed since your resignation as president of the Solar Refinery was announced.

It must be like leaving one's dearest possession behind you to sever your active connections with this great Lima institution. You came here years ago, drew most of the plans for the huge industry and served in many capacities until you reached the top. However, there must be a wealth of pleasure in looking back to the time when the Solar existed only

'ROUND LIMA HOUR BY HOUR

WITH APOLOGIES

BY OH. OH. JACKENRIM.

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ABE MARTIN



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YOU MAY LEAD THE HORSE TO WATER, BUT—



In your dreams, then in your blueprints and finally became a reality to afford you an opportunity to go up step by step until you had reached the pinnacle in your chosen work.

Success such as yours does not come as a stroke of luck. It is the result of victory in a battle any man may be proud to win. May you remain among us long and in your less active commercial life continue the fine civic interest you always have shown.

LIMA BEANE

To Lima Realtors

DEAR FRIENDS: Your spirit of optimism concerning the future of my city and yours should be adopted by a lot of others. Your faith is not misplaced. Lima is a good town and is improving continuously.

All of us might adopt the Cone formula of "Every day in every way my town is growing better and better."

LIMA BEANE

To the Weatherman

OLI TOP: You have been exhibiting a very erratic disposition recently. Hundreds of colds, cases of grip and pneumonia may be laid at your door. Get settled, please!

LIMA BEANE

To Governor Davis

MY DEAR HARRY: Congratulations, old top, on your clever move in bringing about the elimination of the state tax rate. That you pilfered Vic Donahey's thunder is well understood.

Naturally, the question arises, had Carmi Thompson been elected, would you have made such a recommendation to the legislature?

LIMA BEANE

To D. J. Cable

DEAR DAVE: Announcement coming from your office as head of my street railway lines, that new cars are to be placed in service here during the present month is pleasing information.

The old cars are a dilapidated lot and have served their usefulness. Please hurry the new ones along.

LIMA BEANE

To D. J. Cable

In Washington a woman is suing a man for \$100,000 for a stolen kiss, but no doubt he would be glad to return it.

WITH APOLOGIES

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A Page from the Diary of An Antiquated Reporter: Up betimes, to sausage and cakes. A crispy morn, dotted with ebony-hued snowfall.

Walked thru the town, bowing in fyne friendliness to Howard Dean, the banker. Saw Charlie Willis, the underwriter. Few clearance sales appear. Met a night porter whose tayle was that the first man he saw at dawn. Was a zippy professional circuit dancer, hunting a bot of hooch. And found it.

To the office, going over the post. Opportunity to sail for Rome for a banker's conference. Were it a radish gardeners gathering, I to the Cunard offices. Tim Gilder-sleeve, the erudite printer. Leaving for esthetic atmosphere in Cleveland and New York. To be gone all winter. Ground hog day will see him back at Del Buchanan's shoppe. Dr. Bud Neville, the practitioner, off for the South on earned rest bent. There's Judge George Henry Quall whom I have not seen in many a day. And Mrs. Channing F. Lutkin, the noted club woman.

Lunched, with my wife en intime, at The Argonne. A swanky menu with beef for the joint, and cream tart for the sweet. In the lobby, Frank E. Harman, the retired civic benefactor and expert horologist. The wise bows are buying Ohio Oil and Illinois Pipe at present market. Watch for a new S. O. combine in the Wyoming field. Dividend comes thru on Crystal Ice. M'seur O'Connor must have hauled Pocohontas. So, to bed.

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Read and finished "Capt. Blood." He was some filibuster, and for three years ruled the Caribbean, homing it at Tortuga. Now I begin Dorothy Campbell's "Rough Hawk," starting like a sweet, wholesome tale, with not too much sex.

Mixed up two grape-juice highballs and over th' in my wife east up the Christmas morn. About July 17th will see the last recruits come thin. And I need another load of M'seur O'Connor must have hauled Pocohontas. So, to bed.

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WOMAN REFUSES BOND LIBERTY

Mrs. Knox to Fight Murder Charge in Higher Court.

PRISONER IS UNDER GUARD

Texas Woman Accused of Killing Wealthy Husband.

HEMPHILL, Texas.—(Associated Press)—Indignantly refusing

to make the \$25,000 bond set by Justice W. H. Pratt, Mrs. Lillian Knox, "Lady Bountiful" of East Texas, was ready today to carry her fight against the charge of slaying her wealthy husband to the court of District Judge A. V. Stark, in the neighboring town of San Augustine.

The two day examining trial of Mrs. Knox at Hempill ended dramatically when Justice Pratt ordered the widow bound over to the grand jury on a charge of murder with bond set at \$25,000. The action today at San Augustine will be kept under guard each night except one, since she was arrested

in the nature of habeas corpus proceedings. Justice Pratt's decision came after a stormy session in which defense attorneys demanded that letters written by the slain man, said to be in possession of the county attorney, be produced in court. They declared that these letters would establish at once the

reces of their client. The county attorney refused to produce the letters and was sustained in his stand by the justice of the peace.

SERVANT TESTIMIES

A negro servant in the Knox home testified she had heard the aged lumberman declare that he was "going to kill Chester Collins away from my home or kill him."

After the hearing Mrs. Knox was escorted by Sheriff T. W. Nations to her home where she has been kept under guard each night except one, since she was arrested

with bond set at \$25,000. Her attorneys announced immediately that their client would not attempt to make bail, altho bonds

were available at any time

they preferred to push the habeas

proceedings in the district

court so as to free their client from

what they termed the injustice done

her in the Justice court in holding

her to the grand jury.

C. D. Arnold, chauffeur for Mrs.

Knox, said that on Sunday preceding Mr. Knox's death he took Mrs. Knox in an automobile to the Attoy river and there met Chester Collins, one of her present attorneys. The next day, he said, Collins and Mrs. Knox went to Beaumont, Texas, and later to Houston. The defense put on four witnesses in the afternoon.

J. W. White, 77, an old time friend of Mr. Knox, declared Mr. Knox had told him he was despondent and that he wished to end it all. Former Sheriff J. W. Alford was recalled and told of taking two letters from the pockets of the dead man, one addressed to his mother in Dallas and one to E. J. Mantooth of Lufkin, Texas.

DEATHS AT CONTINENTAL

George Sisco, 74 and Mrs. George

Reynolds, 67, pioneer citizens of

Continental, died at their homes in

that village, Thursday.



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Specials For Saturday

BOYS' BLOUSES

Just received—100 dozen Boys' Blouses in neat stripes and small checks—all sizes 6 to 15—collar attached style—special at

69c

BOYS' SWEATERS

A special sale of Boys' pure worsted Slip-Over Sweaters. Colors: Black trimmed with Orange—Brown trimmed with Tan—and Plain Navy—all sizes—slip-over style with roll collar

\$2.59

MEN'S SWEATERS

Choice of 85 fine all wool Slip-Over Sweaters with large roll collars—Men's sizes 36 to 46—Formerly sold at \$7.95 to \$12.00—while they last

\$5.95

MEN'S SHIRTS

Beautiful Fibre and Silk Shirts in neat new patterns—"Schwarzenbach & Huber" fine shirtings—Formerly priced at \$5.00 to \$8.50—Special Saturday at

\$3.98

BOYS' SWEATERS

Boys' "Year Round" Coat Sweaters—the popular light weight sweater so much in demand—in dark heather shades—all sizes 8 to 16

\$1.98

BOYS' STOCKINGS

Boys' fine ribbed black Stockings—double toe and heel—all sizes 8 to 10½—splendid quality—unusual values at

25c

BOYS' SHIRTS

In neat patterns—collar attached or neckband style—all sizes 12½ to 14—priced for quick clearance at

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1 Lot Coats

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1 Lot Coats

Clearance Sale Price

\$14.95

Values to \$29.75

Others at \$33.00, \$38.00, \$49.50, \$59.50

1 Lot Coats

Clearance Sale Price

\$22.00

Values to \$39.75

Clearance Sale of Dresses

1 Lot Dresses

Canton Crepe, Flat Crepe, Poiret Twill—

\$9.95

Values to \$25.00

1 Lot Dresses

Canton Crepe, Poiret Twill—

Velvet Charmeuse,

\$14.95

Values to \$39.75

See Our Windows

Society News

MRS. J. R. TILLOTSON, S. Charles-st, extended the hospitality of her home to the members of her bridge club for a most enjoyable meeting, Friday afternoon.

At the close of the pleasant afternoon of playing, the hostess served prettily appointed tea.

Those present included Mrs. Carl Means, Mrs. E. J. Roberts, Mrs. Herbert A. Thomas, Mrs. H. L. Pew, Mrs. Carl Bowdrie, Mrs. O. C. Plummer, Mrs. C. W. Counsellor, Mrs. William Lang, Mrs. J. L. Thompson, Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. George Brunk and Mrs. C. L. Steer.

Mrs. Kathleen Hanley, W. Wayne-st, welcomed the members of her club at her home Wednesday evening at an enjoyable meeting.

At the close of the playing, the tea was served a dainty luncheon.

Those present included Misses Vicki and Pauline Cajacob, Irene Kilian, Ida Irvin, Florence and Jeanette Mallen, Cecilia DeCurin, Alma Harlan, Katherine Snyder, Lucille Curran, Oliva Massey, Mary Murphy, John Dimond, Lucille Roblen, Katherine Shanahan, Frances Leonard and Mrs. William Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pettler, Brice-av, will leave Sunday for Pittsburgh and Beaver Falls, Pa., for a week's stay.

Mrs. William P. Deisel held high scores among the guests and Miss George Macdonell among the club members when Mrs. Wallace King entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge club at her home in Shawnee. A 1 o'clock luncheon preceded the afternoon of bridge.

Substitutes for the occasion included Mrs. J. F. Bowman, Mrs. O. E. Cheeswath, Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mrs. Ronde Zetlitz Croy and Mrs. William P. Deisel.

Mrs. Virgin Kulesky, W. North-st, will be hostess to the club in a fortnight.

Mrs. Scott McGinnis and Mrs. J. W. Tucker held high scores in the playing when Mrs. W. H. Howell, W. Elm-st, entertained the members of the Thursday Bridge club at her home. A 1 o'clock luncheon preceded the playing. Mrs. O. E. Davis was the only substitute.

Next meeting will be held in a fortnight with Mrs. E. W. Stumpf, S. Jameson-ay.

Mrs. H. Sutter, N. Elizabeth-st, entertained with an informal 6 o'clock dinner at her home Thursday evening for the pleasure of R. Price, Fort Wayne.

Miss Lenore Hyman has returned to Elizabeth, N. J., to resume her duties as physical director in the high school after spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hyman, State-st.

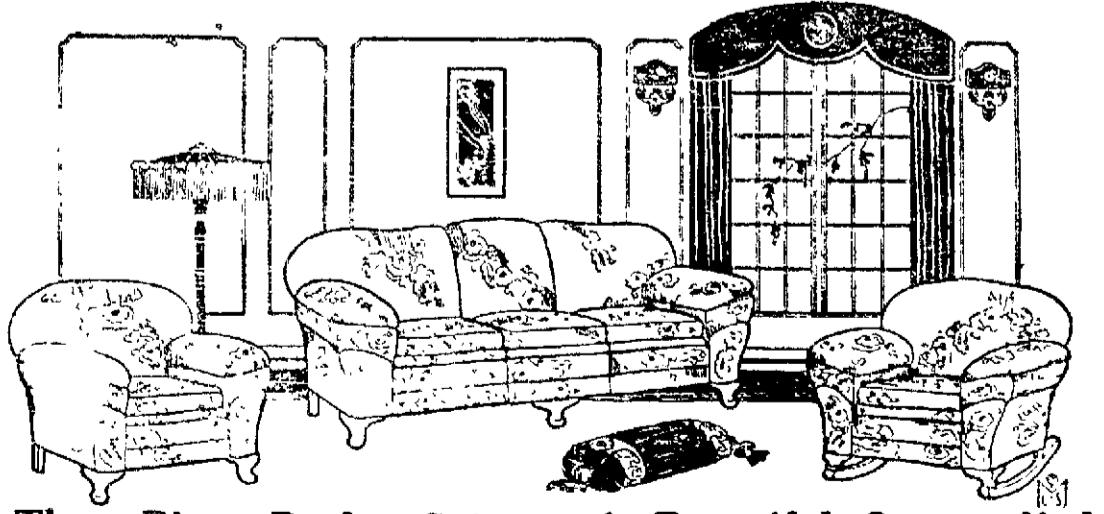
Harry Kleinberger returned to Cincinnati, to resume his studies at the Conservatory of Music after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kleinberger, Brice-av.

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Mrs. F. M. Miller, S. Main-st, welcomed the members of the Thimble club at her home, Thursday. The afternoon was enjoyed informally and a delicious three course luncheon was served by the hostess. Mrs. Ross Bacome was the only guest.

Next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. J. W. Lucas, S. Pine-st.

W. B. A. Girl's club will meet with Miss Bernice Wallburg, 406 E. Eureka-st, Friday evening.

Miss Mary Dunn, Chicago, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Edward Cardosi, W. Spring-st. Miss Dunn will return to her home Sunday.

Modern Needwork club, Delphos, will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Fred King at her home on N. Pierce-st.

O. T. N. club of Delphos, will meet Friday evening at the lodge rooms on Second-st.

W. B. A. girls of Delphos, were entertained by Misses Ruth and Ruby Allemaster, E. Fifth-st, Delphos, were hostesses to the members of the W. B. A. Girl's club at their home, Thursday evening.

Mrs. David Sudmeier, W. Bank-st, Delphos, will entertain the members of the J. T. club at her home next Thursday.

Mrs. Rachel John, Homeaeers, opened her home to the members of the Homeaeers club, Thursday, for an all day meeting. At noon a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed.

Members responded to roll call with current events and in two enjoyable contests, Mrs. Wilson Hiltz was successful.

Guests other than members included Mrs. E. J. Neuman, Mrs. Irvin Brendelner, Mrs. William McGinnis, Mrs. Henson Good and Mrs. Edward More.

Paul Ashton will return Saturday to his home in Los Angeles after a stay at the home of Mrs. George Vicary, W. Market-st. Mr. Ashton will remain in this city several weeks longer with Mrs. Vicary, whose many friends are delighted to know that she will not leave this city to make her home but will continue her residence at the old home.

A vocal selection was given by Miss Helen Muller and Miss Dorothy Schaffer.

A delightful two-course luncheon was served later in the evening.

Guests at this meeting were Miss Alice Muller of St. Mary's college, Notre Dame, Ind., and Miss Helen Stallcup of St. Mary's college of Monroe, Mich. The next meeting will be with Miss Alice Ricker of Fifth-st.

A meeting of the Home Economics and theift committees of the City Federation of Women's clubs will be held at the Hotel Argonne Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

Members of the executive committee of the League of Women Voters met at the public library Friday afternoon for a business session.

GOT 'EM ALL GOING

A representative of a well known printing concern dropped

into town last week and conversing

with a hotel clerk asked him about the new picture show house he was hearing about. The clerk replied that he knew of none. "Well that's funny," said the picture man, "I've been here pretty much all day and I've heard nothing but Lyric! Lyric!" "Oh," said the clerk, "your hunch is about all right after all for while the Lyric is not a new house it has been rejuvenated to the point where it is just the same as new. And the pictures! Well they are the best ever!" By the way continued the clerk are you married?" "Yes" was the reply. "Well," said the clerk, "better stay over Sunday and go to the Lyric and find out 'What's Wrong With the Women.'" "If I thought I could find a correct answer to that question," said the picture show man, "I would be willing to stay a whole week."

SUIT DISMISSED

Suit filed by the National Cash Register company against J. E. Rider, merchant, in common law court was dismissed Friday at the cost of the defendant. The suit was to obtain money alleged to be due on a purchase.

WILL RATION MILK

Dairy milk rationing in the grade schools of St. Marys will be resumed at an early date. Funds for the purpose are now available.

Art Needlework Classes

Continue this week. Classes for children tomorrow and every Saturday from 9 till 11.

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Gallon Tomato Puree	65c	1 Dozen Cans Succotash	\$2.00
Gallon Blackberries	97c	1 Dozen Cans Kraut	\$1.50
Gallon Blue Berries	\$1.10	1 Dozen Cans Walrus Salmon	\$2.75
Gallon Apricots	90c	1 Dozen Cans Tomato Puree	.95c
Gallon Plums	60c	1 Dozen Cans Premier Peas	\$2.35
Gallon Peaches	70c	1 Dozen No. 2 Cans Cherries	\$3.40
Gallon Pineapple	.95c	1 Dozen No. 2 Cans Rasberries	\$3.40
Gallon Raspberries	\$1.05	1 Dozen 25c Catsup	\$2.25
Gallon Loganberries	\$1.15	1 Dozen Cans Asparagus Tips	\$4.00
Gallon Pumpkin	50c	1 Dozen No. 1 Cans Peaches	\$1.10
Gallon Apple Butter	75c	1 Dozen Cans Shreded Pineapple	\$3.75
Gallon Tomatoes	50c	1 Dozen Premier Pork & Beans	\$1.15
Gallon Pork & Beans	45c	1 Dozen Fancy California Prunes	\$3.25
Gallon Catsup	75c	No. 3 cans Van Camp's Pork & Beans	\$1.35
Gallon Kraut	35c	1 Doz. cans Van Camp's Red Kidney Beans	\$1.35
Gallon Canned Corn	95c	Pocahontas Herring, dozen	.95c
1 Dozen Cans Fancy Peas	\$1.35	1 Dozen Cans Blackberries	\$2.00
1 Dozen Cans Surinam Peas	\$2.00	1 Dozen 25c Monarch Catsup	\$2.10
1 Dozen Cans Premier Corn	\$2.10	1 Dozen Cans Lima Beans	\$2.25
1 Dozen Cans Lima Beans	\$2.25	1 Dozen Cans Apricots	\$2.90
1 Dozen Cans Wax Beans	\$2.00	25-lb. box Good Prunes	\$3.00
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25 lbs. Can. Cane Sugar	.8760	Apple Butter, gal.	.75c
25 lbs. granulated Sugar	.8745	No. 1 can Apple Butter	.75c
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3 lbs. for18c		Campbell's Soup, 16c; doz. \$1.10	
Old Reliable Coffee, lb.32c		2 cans extra good Corn, Peas, Beans, Tomatoes or Red Kidney Beans	
Crystal Rock Creamery Butter, a lb.50c		25c	
2 lbs. Churngold	.55c	Pull Ql. Extracted Honey 40-50c	29c
3 lbs. Good Luck	.55c	10 bars Classic Soap38c	
Golmar Nut Butter	.55c	10 bars Bar Soap38c	
Fancy Cala Beans 16c per lb.	.55c	10 bars Barb. More50c	
5 lbs. Good Bacon	.8100	10 bars Flax White50c	
3 No. 3 cans best Mich. Peaches	.8100	10 bars P. & C. Soap50c	
3 No. 3 cans Premier Shredded Pineapple	.8100	10 bars Fels Naphtha60c	

CAPTAIN BLOOD

BY RAFAEL SABATINI

BEGIN HERE TODAY
PETER BLOOD and other Englishmen convicted of treason and sold into slavery in Barbados thru strategy capture a Spanish warship which attacks the Island.

COLONEL BISHOP, owner of Blood and other slaves, boards the vessel after the capture to learn who performed the deed. Blood, however, finds that the victory and his slaves. And it is with amazement that he learns that Peter Blood is in command of the conductors.

GO ON WITH THE STORY

The Colonel looked more closely. "Gad's my life!" he crowed on a note of foolish jubilation. "And it was with these fellows that you took the Spaniard and turned the tables on us."

Colonel Bishop considered them. "His excellency shall write home an account of your exploit, and may be some portion of your sentence shall be remitted."

"The generosity of King James is well known," snarled Nathaniel Harghorne, who was standing by, and amongst the rugged rebels, some one ventured to laugh.

Colonel Bishop started up. He was pained by the first pang of uneasiness. It occurred to him that all here might not be as friendly as he.

And now another intervened—the brawny, one-eyed Wolverstone, less mercifully disposed than his gentlemanly fellow-convict.

"String him up from the yard-arm," he cried, his deep voice harsh and angry, and more than one of the slaves standing to their arms made echo.

Colonel Bishop trembled. Mr. Blood turned. He was quite calm. "You'll please to understand that aboard a ship there is one captain. So." He swung again to the startled Colonel. "Though I promise you your life, I must—as you've heard—keep you aboard as a hostage for the good behavior of Gover-

nor Sted and what's left of the fort until we put to sea."

"Until you" Horror pressed Colonel Bishop from echoing the remainder of that increditable speech.

"Just so," said Peter Blood and he turned to the officers who had accompanied the Colonel. "The"

gentlemen. You'll have heard what I said. Convey it my compliments to his excellency."

"But sir" one of them began.

"There is no need to be bald, gentlemen. My name is Blood—Captain Blood, if you please, of this ship the Chico Llagas, taken as a prize of war from Don Diego de Espinosa y Valdez, who is my prisoner aboard."

As they were running close to the island east of the bay, Peter Blood returned to the Colonel, who, under guard and panic-stricken, had defectedly resumed his seat on the coamings of the main hatch.

"Can ye swim, Colonel?"

Colonel Bishop looked up. His great face was yellow and seemed in that moment of a preternatural flabbiness; his beady eyes were beadlier than ever.

"As your doctor, now, I prescribe a swim to cool the excessive heat of your ham'ons," Blood delivered the explanation pleasantly.

It was the thought of Arabel Bishop that had urged him to mercy, and had led him to oppose the natural vindictiveness of his fellow-slaves until he had been in danger of precipitating a mutiny.

"You shall have a chance to swim for it," Peter Blood continued. "It's not above a quarter of a mile to the headland yonder, and with ordinary exertion, 'Ati I mad?' he asked at last. "Surely this ship is the Chico Llagas?"

Peter Blood gave an order. A plank was run out over the gunwale,

perched the mystery by a relation of the facts.

"And my son? What of my son?" "Your son is safe; he and the boat's crew together with your gunner and his men are snugly in irons under hatches."

With the utmost calm he inquired:

"And now, Senior Captain?" "Would you be willing, sir, to earn life and liberty—for yourself, your son, and the other Spaniards who are on board?"

"To earn it?" said Don Diego and

and lashed down.

For a moment rage stamped out his fear. He cursed them aloud venomously and incoherently, then stepped out upon the plank. Three steps he took before he lost his balance and went tumbling into the green depths below.

CHAPTER X

Don Diego's Commission

Don Diego de Espinosa y Valdez awoke, and with languid eyes in aching head, he looked around the cabin, which was flooded with sunlight from the square windows astern. Then he uttered a moan and closed his eyes again, impelled to this by the monstrous ache in his head.

He was beginning to torture his mind with conjecture, when the door opened, and to Don Diego's increasing mystification he beheld his host suit of clothes step into the cabin.

The suit paused to close the door, then advanced toward the couch on which Don Diego was extended, and inside the suit came a tall slender gentleman of about Don Diego's own height and shape.

Don Diego struggled up into a sitting position on the red velvet couch.

"Who the devil are you?" he asked. "And what the devil are you doing in my clothes and aboard my ship?"

Mr. Blood's black eyebrows went up, a faint smile curled the lips of the long mouth.

"You are still delirious, I fear. This is not your ship. This is my ship, and these are my clothes."

"Your ship?" quoth the other, apathetic, and still more agast he added: "Your clothes? But

"Then Why has eyes looked about him, scrutinizing each familiar object. "Ati I mad?" he asked at last. "Surely this ship is the Chico Llagas?"

Surely now Captain Blood dis-



HE BEHELD HIS BEST SUIT OF CLOTHES STEP INTO THE CABIN.

Or the higher mysteries of seamanship and of the art of finding a way Star abeam, out yonder."

On the instant Mr. Blood shed his laziness. He stiffened with apprehension, and was about to speak when a shaft of light clove the gloom above their heads, coming from the door of the poop cabin which had just been opened. Don Diego bowed his head upon his breast.

"I accept," he said.

CHAPTER XI

Fidal Pity

By virtue of the pledge he had given, Don Diego de Espinosa enjoyed the freedom of the ship that had been his, and the navigation which he had undertaken was left entirely in his hands.

"If this winds holds," he told them "we should reach Curacao inside three days."

For three days the wind held, indeed it freshened a little on the second, and yet when the third night descended upon them they had still made no landfall. Captain Blood uneasily mentioned it to Don Diego.

"It will be for tomorrow morning," he was answered with calm conviction.

Captain Blood passed on, content and went to visit Jerry Pitt, his patient, to whose condition Don Diego owed his chance of life. To indulge him Captain Blood consented that he should take the air on deck, and so, as the last of daylight was fading from the sky, Jeremy Pitt came forth upon the Captain's arm. With the seaman's instinct his eyes wandered to the darkling vault of heaven, spangled already with a myriad golden points of light.

Awhile he scanned it idly, vacantly; and then, his attention became sharply fixed. He looked around and up at Captain Blood, who stood beside him.

"Dye know anything of astronomy, Peter?" quoth he.

"Astronomy, it is? Faith, now, I couldn't tell the Belt of Orion from the Girdle of Venus."

"You told me didn't you—that we came west of the archipelago between Tabago and Grenada, steering for Curacao. If that were our pres-

ent course, we should have the North Star abeam, out yonder."

On the instant Mr. Blood shed his laziness. He stiffened with apprehension, and was about to speak when a shaft of light clove the gloom above their heads, coming from the door of the poop cabin which had just been opened. Don Diego bowed his head upon his breast.

"Captain Blood's fingers pressed Jerry's shoulder with significance.

"Will ye settle a slight dispute for us, Don Diego?" said he lightly. "We are arguing, Mr. Pitt and I, as to which is the North Star."

"So?" So the Spaniard's tone was easy. "But you tell me Mr. Pitt he is your navigator?"

"For lack of better," laughed the Captain, good-humoredly contemptuous. "Now I am ready to wager him a hundred pieces of eight that that is the North Star." And he lunged out an arm toward a point of light in the heavens straight abeam. He afterward told Pitt that had Don Diego confirmed him, he would have spun him through upon that instant. Far from that, however, the Spaniard finely expressed his scorn.

"You have the assurance that is of ignorance, Don Pedro; and you lose. The North Star is this one." And he indicated it.

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3 Large Cans Hominy	25c	2 lbs. Bulk Cocoa	20c	1 gallon can Kraut	35c	7 Cans Sunbrite Cleanser	25c
2 Large Cans Kraut	22c	Sun Maid Raisins, package	15c	1 gallon Apples	65c	6 Boxes Gold Dust	25c
1 Large Can Sliced Pineapple	35c	5 lbs. Powdered Sugar	50c	1 gallon Loganberries	85c	1 lb. Pepper	25c
1 Large Can Broken Slices Pineapple	25c	10 lbs. Granulated Sugar	74c	1 gallon Red Cherries	\$1.10	1 Quart Mazola Oil	30c
1 Can Van Camp's Pork & Beans	10c	1 Can Blackberries	25c	1 gallon Raspberries	\$1.00	1 Box Climaline	8c
1 Can Snider's Pork & Beans	10c	1 Can Raspberries	25c	1 gallon L. & S. Apple Butter	75c	1 Box Starch	8c
1 Can Kingam Pork & Beans	10c	1 Can Peaches	10c	70 lb. Bag Farmers' Salt	95c	1 lb. Calumet Baking Powder	30c
Campbell's Soup any kind	10c	1 pr. Gauntlet Gloves	10c	1 lb. Fancy Tea	35c	1 lb. Heekins Baking Powder	25c
1 Peck Potatoes	17c	1 lb. White House Coffee	35c	1 pkg. Shredded Wheat	11c	1 lb. Kenton Baking Powder	25c
1 Large Loaf Bread	9c	1 lb. Old Reliable Coffee	32c	3 pkgs. Post Toasties	25c	1 lb. Rumford Baking Powder	27c
5 lb. Pail Lard	63c	1 lb. Monarch Coffee	28c	Corn Sugar lb.	4c	1 lb. Cream Cheese	33c
6 Baby Stag Cigars	25c	1 lb. Bulk Coffee	20c	2 bottles Jet Oil Shoe Polish ...	18c	Pork Chops lb.	18c - 20c
12 Packages Scrap Tobacco	95c	10 lbs. Pure Buckwheat Flour	45c	2 lbs. Crackers	25c	Fresh Side lb.	18c
2 lbs. Fancy Candy	25c	7 lbs. Cracked Hominy	25c	Bulk Kraut, lb.	5c	All Beef Steak lb.	22c
3 10c Rolls Toilet Paper	25c	10 lbs. Navy Beans	95c	5 Bars P. & G. Soap	24c	Fresh Sausage lb.	18c
Peanut Butter, 1 lb.	15c	3 Boxes Fairy Soap Flakes	25c	10 Bars Laundry Soap	30c	Boiling Beef lb.	8c
2 lbs. Apple Butter	25c	6 Boxes Naphtha Powder	25c	10 Bars Fairy Soap	40c	2 lbs. Hamburger	25c
24½ lbs. Gold Medal Flour	95c	6 Boxes Gold Dust	25c	10 Bars Sweetheart Soap	50c	5 lbs. Bacon	\$1.00
Cider Vinegar gallon	40c	3 Boxes Ivory Soap Flakes	25c	6 Bars R. & M. Soap	25c	50 lb. Can Lard	\$6.00
2 lbs. Bulk Dates	25c	Jiffy-Jell Pkg.	5c	10 Bars Sunny Monday	40c	Weiners and Bologna lb.	20c
				1 Large Gold Dust Powder	23c	Beef Roast lb.	14c - 16c

21 MILES PIPE IS LAID IN 1922

New Water Line Construction In City Is 18 1-2 Miles

FIGURES IN ANNUAL REPORT

Daily Inspection Of Fire Hydrants Is Made

More than 21 miles of pipe was laid by the extension division of the Lima water department during 1922, the annual report to be issued by Charles Evans, water superintendent, will show.

Of this, 18.5 miles was new main line extensions and the remainder, lead pipe and other service lines. Of the services installed, 171 were for new customers and 457 were made where new streets have been laid or are planned.

Number of feet of each size main pipe installed is as follows: 20 inch, 910 feet; 16 inch, 1,573 feet; 12 inch, 24,073 feet; 10 inch, 10,288 feet; eight inch, 12,668 feet; six inch, 41,568 feet; four inch, 6,464 feet and two inch, 437 feet.

In laying the pipe it is believed new records were made by the crews working on the jobs. All work was done by the city and by so doing it was possible to make the appropriation cover 18.5 miles rather than the 14 miles first planned, the report shows.

New hydrants installed by the department numbered 82 and were placed in territory which has been without adequate fire protection in the past. Three of the installations were renewals in outlying districts. Of this number 74 were connected with six inch mains and eight on eight inch mains.

MORE METERS INSTALLED

Meters were given more attention during the past year than has been the custom in the past, the report states. A total of 273 new meters were installed, 157 being cellar sets and 76 curb installations.

In addition, 1,686 meters were changed because of defects or damage and 1,864 meters were inspected by the department after complaint or during the general course of business. Trouble calls received and answered by the department numbered 4,839.

Daily inspection of fire hydrants throughout the city on days when the temperature is below freezing has been inaugurated by the department during the past year, in an effort to keep protection against fire at a maximum efficiency at all times.

This has resulted in 210 fire hydrants being thawed out during 1922 and the water has been pumped out of 250 hydrants. In addition, 63 hydrants have been repaired.

More than a mile of water pipe is yet to be laid by the construction crews. These new mains will be installed in the spring as soon as the weather clears, city officials say.

This will bring the total number of miles of new mains to at least 20.

With the additional customers brought on the rolls by the extensions it is believed the revenue in 1923 will be above \$270,000 and will make possible a lowering of rates in 1924, City Manager Birmingham says.

BRITISH DEBT COMMISSION ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON—Members of the British debt commission arrived in Washington to take up, with the American commission, the funding of Great Britain's war-time debt of more than four billion dollars, were putting into final shape today detailed data bearing on their side of the funding problem preparatory to the formal discussions which probably will not get under way until early next week.

Since the arrival last night of the commissioners there had been no official statements as to what program the commission was prepared to present as a basis for discussion. Members of the American commission also declined to discuss in advance of their presentation the reported British plans, but did state that on their side they would have no proffers to make beyond the limitations established by law.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

A Funny Letter

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



My, but it was dark!

Off went Nancy and Nick to get the notes out of the chimneys—notes that the children had written to Santa Claus to tell him just what they wanted for Christmas.

The first house they came to was Jimmy Jordan's, out in the country. The Twins, in their Little Green Shoes, landed softly on Jimmy's roof. Then they tippy-toed to the chimney and peeped down.

My, but it was dark! Dark and smoky, and had it not been for two magical masks that the Toymaker had given them, I'm afraid they couldn't have breathed at all.

"Shh!" said Nancy softly. "We must be very quiet. Tweakanose the wicked little gnome may be lurking somewhere. If he gets into the chimney ahead of us, he'll get Jimmy's letter and tear it up."

"Of all things!" exclaimed Nancy. "Just wait! Here's more," said Nick.

Nick: "P.S.—A dying pig is a balloon

like a pig, that blows up and dies down."

(To Be Continued)

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BODY OF JOSEPH MILLER TO BE BURIED SATURDAY

Funeral services for Joseph Miller, 67, of 637 E. Elm-st, who died Thursday morning at St. Rita's hospital, will be held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. from the First U. B. church. Rev. W. H. Howard officiating. Masonic order will have charge of the services. Interment will be in Woodlawn cemetery.

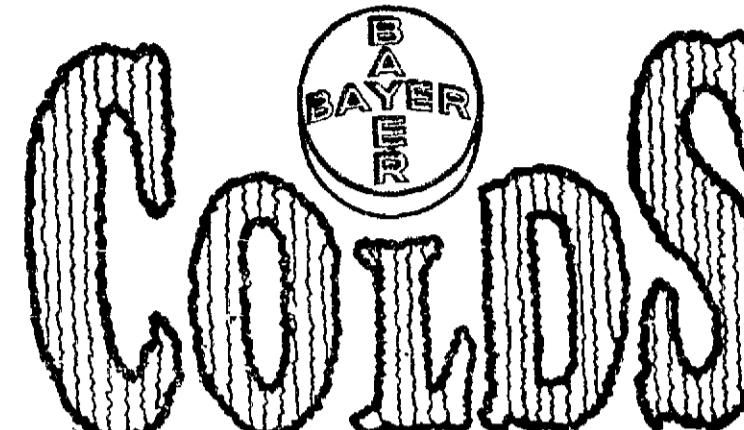
Four brothers, A. A. Miller, of Dayton; John and Frank Miller, of Columbus and Louis Miller of Plain City and one sister, Mrs. Mary Peters of Columbus, are the surviving relatives.

LEGION POST PLANS DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS IN 1923

Program of the accomplishments hoped for in 1923, will be outlined at the initial New Year's meeting of William Paul Gallagher Post No. 96, American Legion, at its headquarters Friday night.

Every old member is asked to pay his dues for the year in order to give the post fund with which to meet 1923 conditions. Old members are asked to get out and obtain new members.

Arrangements are being made to keep post headquarters open daily. Pete DeVoeze, post adjutant, is seeking the services of a former soldier who can act as club custodian and manager of the post exchange.



SAY "BAYER" when you buy Aspirin

At the first chill, take genuine Aspirin according to the safe and proper directions in each "Bayer" package, to break up your cold and relieve the pain, headache, fever, neuralgia.

Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets—Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacetateester of Salicylicacid

SPECIAL SALE

Remnants in Ladies' Shoes — We're clean-off our shelves for our new spring stock — We want YOU to get some of these sacrifices.

87c A lot of remnants of several styles at a real give away price.

\$1.87 Quite a selection of black lace high heeled Kid Boots.

A number of styles to select from in both high and low heels.

\$4.87 One lot of brown calf and kid Oxfords, the latest cuts and nearly all sizes. Here's a bargain.

\$2.87 One large lot of ladies high heeled Shoes in the finest of French Kid leather.

\$3.87 A few pairs of Patent and Black Oxfords. Some real values.

BIGGEST VALUES

LOWEST PRICES

SEARFOSS BOOTERY

CORNER MAIN AND SPRING

Don't Miss This Great Event!

January Clearance Sale

Now Going On

We have gone through our entire stock and slashed prices on every single article of Winter Apparel. Profits are Sacrificed to Make Room for New Spring Goods.

CREDIT

At Sale Prices

Ladies' Coats, Suits and Dresses Are Offered In Many Instances At Below Cost

Men's Suits and Overcoats

Greatly Reduced

All Boys' and Girls' Clothes are included in this Great Sacrifice

THE STAR Clothing

Southwest Corner Square
MILTON KUGELMAN, Prop.

Come, Bring Your Friends! Get Your Share!

Silk Floss Mattress

Wonderfully well made non-stretchable Silk Floss Mattress, regular \$30 value—Our Cash Sale price \$22

100% Felt Mattress in drill ticking—regular \$17.50; Cash Sale Price \$10.85

Alcazar Combi'n Range

A remarkable range that sold at \$150. Our Cash Sale price \$122.00

Tinnerman Combination Ranges, regular price \$100; Our Cash Sale price ... \$70.00

Armstrong's Linoleum

12 foot width, regular price per square yard, \$1.50; Cash Sale price

6 foot width, regular \$1.25 square yard; Cash Sale price

\$1.75 Inlaid Linoleum; Cash Sale price

\$1.50

White Sewing Machines

Here's a bargain. Reg price \$10.

Our Cash Sale price \$55.00

Walnut Bedroom Suite

4 pieces of beautiful, substantial new style furniture, consisting of Bed, Dresser, Dressing Table and Chiffonier. Sold reg. at \$125. Our Cash Sale price \$99.00



\$135.00

Italian Oak Dining Suite

9 pieces consisting of large oblong table, 6 genuine leather slip seat chairs, china cabinet and long buffet. All new style, beautiful in design and finish. Regular price \$190; Our Cash Sale price

\$135.00

Beautiful Rugs

Buzzorrate Axminster Rugs, 8x12, regular price \$65.00;

Our Cash Sale price \$45.00

Smith Axminster Rug, 9x12; regular price \$42.50 and \$45.00;

Cash Sale price \$30.00

800 WILTON VELVETS \$15.00

Mohair Living Room Suite

Beautiful 3-piece Mohair combination. Overstuffed Davenport, Rocker and Chair, with Marshall spring construction. Regular price \$250; Our Cash Sale price ... \$175.00

Electric Washer

The Superior Electric Washing Machine, a truly wonderful washer; reg. price \$175. Our Cash Sale price ...

\$120

Heating Stoves

Nobby Hot Blast Heater, 18-inch size; regular \$48; Our Cash Sale price ...

\$30

Scored of odd pieces included in Our Cash Sale at bargain prices.

Rockers, Davenports, Dressers, Chairs, Beds, Etc.

ARMSTRONG & SON

One Block North of Court House
409 - 411 North Main Street

TWO IMPORTANT CAGE GAMES ON FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE

BOWLING RIVALRY INTENSE

AT THE Y. M. C. A. ALLEYS			
Business Men's League			
Mertz	156	150	171
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Maderer	151	157	161
Subs	153	96	149
Totals	577	473	529

AT THE BROADWAY ALLEYS			
Business Men's League			
Allen	175	161	181
Jeet	172	121	142
Haugardner	106	132	121
Cutter	147	141	141
Kremer	147	133	141
Totals	679	614	611

The first real line that it has been possible to get on the comparative strengths of South and Central cage aggregations, will occur Friday night when the Southside team meets Bluffton.

Central met the visitors a couple of weeks ago and barely came out victorious, winning 21 to 23.

However, Central, following the showing Monday night, has made wonderful strides. South, which has played but one game this season is in fine shape, and Bluffton is said to have ironed several rough spots which were apparent against Central.

A large number of fans are planning to attend the game at South in order to determine as far as possible the strengths of the two scholastic fives.

What is generally regarded as the prime hit of basketball of the season will be played at Central Friday night, when St. Rose meets the Red and Green for the first time in the history of the two schools.

The fact that the schools have been neighbors for years, but have had no athletic relations, has built up a bitter rivalry, which is going to bring out a large number of fans.

It is doubtful if even the coaches will know until just before the game, who will be used in the lineup at the start. Coach Baker at St. Rose has been working for several weeks in developing various combinations, and there are any number of new combinations which he might use. The one change most likely to be seen in the catholic line will be the shift of Buchanan from center to forward.

Central also has been experimenting and the lineup to be used by Coach Thibault will be determined at Friday afternoon's workout.

ROOKIE MAKES ODD WISH

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—While Willie Kamm, the one ballplayer who hopes the deal that New York is trying to make for Eddie Collins fails to go through.

Willie Kamm, he is known, is the infelder for whom the Chicago White Sox paid San Francisco the sum of \$100,000.

Kamm is really a great ballplayer. He has a fast pair of hands, and during the last two years has come fast as a batter. No player ever went to the majors with greater promise. His is Kamm's reason for hoping Collins remains with the White Sox.

"Coast League players tell me that Collins is a great fellow with the recruits. They say that he goes out of his way to help them. I am positive I will make good for Chicago, but feel that Collins would greatly help me on the road to success. I hate to be selfish, but I will be mighty well pleased if New York fails to land him."

HUSTON HOLDS YANKEES

NEW YORK—Colonel T. J. Huston confirmed last night the report that he has not sold his half interest in the New York American League club as he announced a month ago, and he now says that he will continue in association with Colonel Jacob Ruppert, with whom he elevated the Yankees from the cellar to two American League pennants.

The deal to all appearances, only awaits two signatures and it still is claimed there was no difference over the proposed purchase price of \$1,250,000, but what Colonel Huston described as "a hitch" developed and negotiations ended. There are reports that Colonel Huston may make the deal a complete reversal and buy out his partner, but they lack confirmation.

There were numerous reports giving the exact "hitch," none of them confirmed, but which include Colonel Huston's objection to a supposed clause in the sales contract by which he agreed to remain out of baseball in New York City for 10 years and another that there was a difference over liabilities, including the new Yankee stadium under construction.

Billiards Declared To Be Most Exacting Of All Sports

(BY BILLY EVANS)

There is always a discussion regarding the difficulties presented in various sports. I have heard many arguments on this point.

Ball players maintain that baseball is the most difficult; football players put a claim in for their sport; tennis stars say that you find it on the courts; hand-ball players are sure they have the most difficult; and along come the oarsmen and say that everybody is wrong and that rowing must get first place.

In view of this vast difference of opinion, the thought expressed by Nate L. Hall is interesting. His opinion should count because Hall is one of the most versatile men ever heard of. He has been a rower of a success in rowing, football, baseball, basket ball, swimming, boxing, golf, bowling, billiards, tennis and yachting. Surely there is versatility and variety.

WAS HARVARD GRID STAR

Hall was a good football player. He was used at end and quarter by the Harvard varsity in 1905 and 1906. That was in Dan Hurley's day.

People rave about Hinkey, "the shadowy end," who played end for Yale and played it extremely well while never weighing more than 150, but Hall, playing the same position and also quarter for Harvard, weighed never more than 145 and it is doubtful if the great Hinkey ever scaled as low as that.

Aside from football, Hall also starred in several other sports at Harvard, baseball, boxing and swimming.

After graduating from Harvard, Hall took up rowing and won a berth on one of the leading amateur eightts in the east. Since leaving college he has also added golf and billiards to his attainments.

In billiards he won his greatest fame, for in 1917 he captured the national amateur championship at 18.2 balkline.

BILLIARDS HARDEST

A man with the versatility of Hall should be able to give some information on the subject under discussion and here it is:

"Billiards is the cruelest of all sports on the player because it demands the most perfect co-ordination of the physical and mental forces."

If there are 1000 touches in

COACHES LAUD ABILITY OF GONZAGA HALF BACK



HOUSTON STOCKTON

One year ago Gonzaga College and Houston Stockton were little known in the football world.

Today they are national figures in the gridiron world.

Gonzaga College by its great game against the strong University of West Virginia team won a place in the sporting spotlight.

Gonzaga lost 21 to 13 but treated West Virginia to a real scare.

Charles Doran, as coach, is responsible for the arrival of Gonzaga in the football world.

Houston Stockton is today regarded as one of the best halfbacks on the coast.

Doran, who starred at Notre Dame with Knute Rockne, says of Stockton:

"He would make any football team in the country."

"One of the greatest halfbacks the northwest has ever developed," says Andy Smith, football coach at California.

Some more!

BULLSEYES of BASEBALL

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NO. 4: THE MOST UNIQUE PLAY I EVER SAW

The late Herman Schaefer had a keen sense of humor.

While Schaefer was always regarded as one of the comedians of the ball field, few players possessed Keener intellect.

In other words, Schaefer was a brash ball player. Better than the average mechanically, Schaefer was equally valuable because he played with his head.

To Schaefer goes the credit of bringing about the most unique play I have ever seen in the majors.

That play started all kinds of argument. Schaefer had run the bases in reverse order, yet the rules stated:



fail to specifically cover his act.

Now the rules say, that when a player so runs, all that is necessary to retire him is to hold the ball on the base he vacated, or touch him with the ball while not on such base.

The ball was then thrown to see-

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2 CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our kind friends and neighbors, Rev. E. A. Watkins and singers, Mrs. and Daughters of Veterans, for their kind services during the recent bereavement of my beloved wife and mother and for the many beautiful floral offerings and use of car.

Mr. J. B. Hoffman,
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner and Family.

3 LOST AND FOUND

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WRIST WATCH Swifft-Delmer movement, check ribbons, white strap. Please call Main 2298, Edward.

LOST—BETWEEN LAPAVENTH AND Lima, a package containing latest magazines, fancy work, books and sheet music. Please call Main 5827.

LOST—FEMALE BROWN AND white spotted beagle, bound on Route 8, 54th, toward Tipp City, North 6415. Owner Spot Johnson.

WANTED

EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER Prefer one experienced in legal work. Main 1517.

4 HELP WANTED (GENERAL)

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WANTED

Cigar Rollers and Bunch Breakers

ODIN CIGAR FACTORY

Daylight Plant

North St. and Central Ave.

EXPERIENCED WAITRESS OR Waiter. Marshall House.

EXPERIENCED COOK MARSHALL House Restaurant.

5 FEMALE HELP

WANTED

Twenty-five experienced Salesgirls for Mill End Sale. Call in person at office immediately. None but experienced need apply. Chances for permanent positions.

CARTER & CARROLL

WANTED—WOMAN TO ASSIST invalid lady. Inquire at 511 N. Elizabeth.

WANTED—A HOUSEKEEPER FOR bachelor. Call at 505 N. Main St.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CHAMBERMAID and waitress at 575 S. Main. Olympic Restaurant. Main 6726.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Good wages. Apply in person at 410 W. Market.

WANTED—DINING ROOM GIRL AT the G. K. Restaurant. 515 S. Main

DEMONSTRATORS AND SALESLADIES

\$18.00 per week straight salary with liberal bonus added. Reliable firm needs several more women to fill its sales force; applicants must be over 25, neat in appearance and ready to start work immediately. No previous business experience necessary if quick to learn. Apply Saturday afternoon between 2 and 4 at 329 N. Elizabeth.

6 MALE HELP

WANTED—CHIMNEY SWEEPING and furnace cleaning. Lake 1624. WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO COLLECT and assist in office, must furnish references. State age and address expected. Box 26, care News.

7 AGENTS AND SALESMEN

SALESMEN—EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY. Hustlers earnings big. Write McCleary Calendar Factory, Washington, Iowa.

8 PERSONALS

LADIES! LADIES! I POSITIVELY want to make great and successful Money. Companionship will relieve some of the longest and most arduous pains in 3 to 6 days. No harm pain or interference with work or health. Double Strength \$1.00 Check free. Address to 11 N. South Washington Remedy Co., Kansas City, Mo.

6 MALE HELP

WANTED

Young man as bookkeeper and office assistant. Permanent position. Applicant must be over 25 years of age, and come well recommended. Apply in own hand writing, stating age, experience, salary expected and references.

Box ZZZ Care of News

8 PERSONALS

NOTICE—DISPENSARY TO BE INQUIRED and prospective buyers are invited to inspect our special representations, all goods in constant demand. Particulars from The Brown Company, Lima, N. Y.

9 SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER for large German references if available. Lake 5417.

WANTED POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER to care for elderly gentleman or woman at home. Box 587, care of News.

FANCY SEWING, DRILL-MAKING alterations by day. Work guaranteed. High 675. Mrs. A. Jones.

DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH your accounts, correspondence or freight claims? Address Box 594, care of News.

WANTED—YOU TO COME AND SEE how much money you can save on purchasing merchandise on our distribution. Sale, E. & R. Store, 411 S. Main.

10 MISCELLANEOUS WANTED

WANTED

Large show case, also cash register. Address Box 599, Care News.

WANTED To contact you from pure bred flocks of poultry for the entire hatching season. What have you? MARTIN'S HATCHERY

Phone 5519

326 East Third Street, Lima, O.

WANTED

To communicate with persons having PURE BRED POULTRY with a view to buying EGGS FOR HATCHING. We use 13,000 eggs per week and pay 10 cents premium above current market prices. Any variety. Write us what you have.

HOLTZAPPLE HATCHERY Elida, O.

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From 60 to 80 acres, with good buildings.

C. H. FOLSON

Phone Main 2217—212 N. West St.

WANTED—ONE OR 1½ TON TRUCK, must be first class. Call Lewis Bros. Main 3996.

11 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

For GOOD LUMP COAL

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MAIN 1716

LILY WHITE OIL COMMON

WILL SELL 147 SHARES

Reasonably priced for quick sale.

Gone away.

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OUR LARGE BIG GOOD AS NEW.

the oil and gas company see leather below. Call 355 S. Jackson St.

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Kings, Baldwins, Russets, Greenings, all hand picked and sprayed fruit at \$1.25 to \$1.65 per basket.

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We deliver.

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Sat. at 2:00 and 7:00 P. M.

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Attend these Special Sales for Bargains in Stoves, Furniture, Rugs, etc.

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FOR SALE—ONE TAPESTRY LIVING room suite, excellent condition; also 1 folding bed. 705 W. Market, East Side, Kahlin Apt.

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BEST PRICES paid for USED FURNITURE, Stoves, etc. Special Bargains every day. Big Stock to select from. AUCTION every Saturday at 2:00 and 7:00 P. M. Phone Main 6392.

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ASH PAINT FOR USED FURNITURE

Call Lake 1559.

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FOR RENT—3 FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, adults only. Call Lake 5907.

OSBORN BROS.

YOUNG BROS.

BIG covered truck for LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE MOVING

EXPORT packers. Every load insured. Office Rico 2429 Res. Lake 6014 118 E. Market St.

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BAGGAGE AND LIGHT HAULING

For sale, horses, harness, buggies, wagons and moving van.

FOR RENT—3 FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, on St. John's St. Call Main 4149.

FOR RENT

TWO NEAT SLEEPING ROOMS, by the week, to clean out gentlemen; no other need apply. Steam heat, phone and bath. Crescent Hotel, 228½ N. Main St.

FOR RENT—1 FURNISHED ROOM—1 FRONT and 1 back room, modern for gentlewoman. 127½ W. Spring.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM FOR two girls, good kitchen, entirely modern. 27½ N. Park Ave.

16 HOUSES FOR RENT

3 ROOM HOUSE, PARTLY MODERN, with a room modern 100% off. Call State 2006 after 6 p. m.

FOR RENT—5 ROOM MODERN house, 2½ Woodsboro Ave., \$35.00 per month. Main 2665.

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE AT 12½ S. Park Ave.

17 HOUSES WANTED

WANTED TO BUY—SMALL HOUSE

and all kinds of buildings.

Main 4746 or High 5313.

Every Load Insured

120 E. Market St.

Lincoln Highway Garage

23 LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—TEAM, HARNESS AND wagon. Terms with good security.

10½ N. Main.

FOR SALE—GOOD YOUNG WORK HORSE and mares, and driving horses.

115 Water St.

FOR SALE—1 BLACK MARE FOR feed, Bill, Saturday, 1 p. m. Proto Inn, 10½ N. Central Ave.

20 MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT

GET MORE EGGS NOW! HENS

that don't lay now don't pay. Cull out the layers and feed the remainder Purina Cow. Then watch them at Clark's Cash Feed Store, 123 E. Spring. Phone Main 6194. We deliver.

STOCKS CLIMB TO HIGHER LEVELS

Strength Demonstrated Despite Unsettled Foreign Situation.

LIBERTY BONDS

	\$101.20
First 4%	98.90
Second 4%	98.74
First 4½%	98.96
Second 4½%	98.76
Third 4½%	98.92
Fourth 4½%	98.78
Fifth 4½%	98.95
Victory 4½%	100.24

NEW YORK—Opening prices in today's stock market were irregular with the main tendency downward on further selling of stocks resulting from the breakup of the allied premiers' conference. Selling was most effective against the speculative favorites, Baldwin dropping 1 1-4; North American and Pan-American A., one each and Studebaker and Pan-American B., 5-8 each.

Good buying power developed in some of the opening weak spots, Baldwin and U. S. Steel making up their early losses. The general list continued irregular. Gains of a point or more were scored by Pullman, Pressed Steel Car and Marine preferred with substantial fractional advances taking place in Maxwell A., Pacific Oil, Corn Products, U. S. Alcohol, American Can and Cedar Colt. Pan-American B., extended its loss to 1 5-8 points and Chandler dropped 1 1-2. Allied Chemical and "Nickel Plate" second preferred also yielded a point or more. Foreign exchanges opened lower with acute weakness being shown by the French and German rates. Paris francs dropped 12 points to 9.2 cents and German marks were quoted at 1.15 cents a hundred, another new low record.

AD STOCK LEAD

The foreign market gave a good demonstration of strength. The ability of the pools to mark up their favorites in the face of the unsettled foreign political situation caused considerable covering by the short interests who had hammered the market in yesterday's late dealings. Speculative interest was confined almost entirely to the industrial shares, few of the rails participating extensively in the morning dealings. Atlantic Refining which moved up 7 1-4 points, recorded the largest individual gains while Associated Oil, Mack Truck, Dupont, Steel and Tube preferred, Consolidated Gas, Endicott-Johnson, Looff Wiles Biscuit, American Can, California Petroleum, North American and Marine preferred, all moved up 2 to 3 3-4 points. Pressed Steel Car opened a point higher and then fell back 2 1-2. Call money opened at 3 3-4 per cent.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

PITTSBURGH—Hogs, receipts 4,000; lower; hens 9.15; heavy workers and light workers 9.50 to 9.60; pigs 9.40. Sheep and Lambs, receipts 650; steady; sheep 8.75; lambs 15.75. Calves, receipts 150; steady; top 150.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle, receipts 15, strong. Calves, receipts 1300; slow; 50c. Lambs, 1000 to 1500; light steady; others 15%; the lower, heavy 15%; mixed 2 to 3 3-4; yearlings 2.50 to 4.50. Lamb, 300; rough, 7.25 to 7.50; steaks 4.50 to 5.50.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 7,400; shipping active, unchanged.

CINCINNATI—Hogs, receipts 1500; steady; hens 9.15; heavy workers and light workers 9.50 to 9.60; pigs 9.40. Sheep and Lambs, receipts 650; steady; sheep 8.75; lambs 15.75. Calves, receipts 150; steady; top 150.

REGIONAL EXECUTIVE OF BOY SCOUTS IS IN LIMA TO CLARIFY SITUATION

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Courtesy of Thomson & McKinnon, 407-412 Citizens Building

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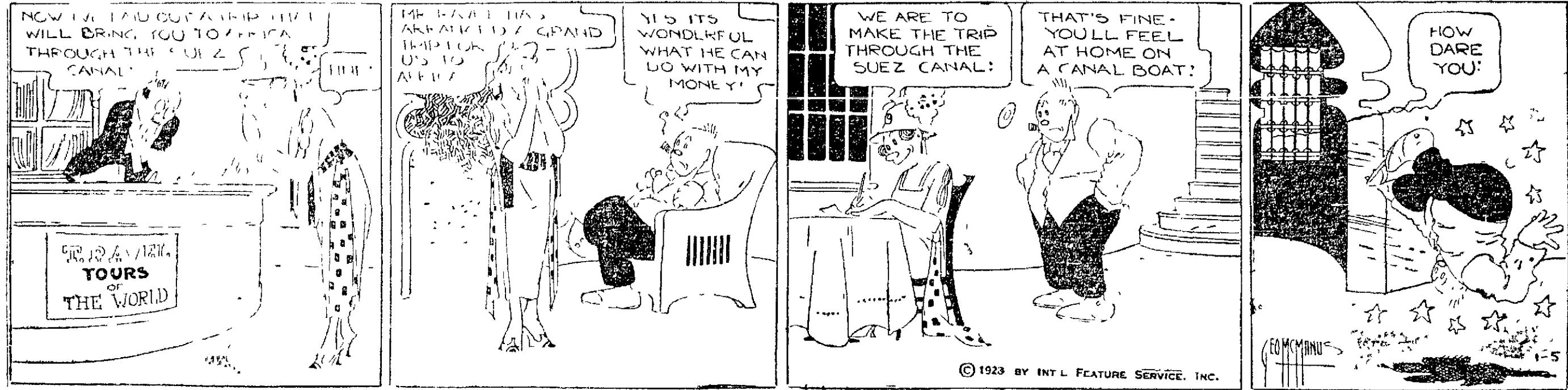
MUTT AND JEFF—THE BOARD OF HEALTH OUGHT TO INVESTIGATE THIS HASH JOINT—

By BUD FISHER



BRINGING UP FATHER—

By McMANUS



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SHORT SHAVINGS

George H. Quail, attorney and friend who found it necessary to edge thru a crowd in the union depot while in Columbus on a business mission.

He held his tourist's pocket on either side to keep his pockets from being picked.

"But I didn't have enough hand," he told Quail. "While I was holding my pockets someone took it in my waistcoat pocket and made off with my fingerless watch."

Bob Fisher, of Wapakoneta, was dancing in the pavilion at Tuscarawas Point one evening during the past season.

He was much puzzled by the disappearance of a girl friend who wore a ankle-length dress when most of the other skirts he had seen were so short. It was all frayed and he feared he would step on the fringe when he danced with her.

He was still more puzzled by her explanation. "This is a hot weather dress," she said. "The fringe is to keep the flies from biting my ankles."

W. R. Mumauah, reporter, reported a boy who was presented with a cornet. He hasn't learned to play it yet.

But he can blow it hard which he does earnestly and persistently. One night recently he concluded his practice by blowing tips of 10 p.m.

Others in the neighborhood applauded with relief. It must be understood the applause came after the blowing until 11 p.m.

Blood Pressure Down Five Degrees

Mrs. Charles Whitney of Troy, N.Y., How to Quickly Reduce High Blood Pressure.

She has been suffering from hypertension for two years.

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